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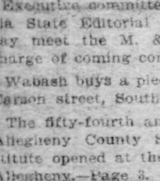
THE WEATHER



Fair.

Fair today and partly cloudy weather for tomorrow, is the Washington forecast for Pittsburgh and vicinity. The maximum temperature yesterday was 78, and the minimum 54 degrees. The sun rose cloudy at 5:42 and set clear at 7 o'clock. The daily report, furnished by the local weather office, follows:

Time.	Baro.	Tem.	Hum.	Wind.	Weather.
8 a. m.	30.20	56	73	N.	Cloudy.
8 p. m.	30.08	74	54	W.	Pt. Cldy.

Comparative temperature and precipitation for August 28:

	1905	1904		1905	1904
Maximum	78	90	Mean	66	66
Minimum	54	53	Precipitation	9	0
Nor. temp. 31 yrs.	71		Nor. precip. 31 yrs.	.09	
Dfcy. for day	5		Exc. since Aug. 1	.08	
Dfcy. since Aug. 1	22		Dfcy. since Jan. 1	1.75	
Dfcy. since Jan. 1	189				

Government Weather Forecast.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 28.—Forecast:

Western Pennsylvania—Fair Tuesday; Wednesday partly cloudy; light southwest winds.

Ohio—Fair Tuesday; Wednesday partly cloudy, probably showers and cooler in north portion; light to fresh southwest winds.

West Virginia—Fair; warmer Tuesday; Wednesday partly cloudy; light to fresh southwest winds.

Observations taken at weather bureau stations at 8 p. m.:

St. Louis	80	Clear	Cincinnati	78	Clear
Cairo	80	Clear	Washington	86	Clear
Omaha	84	Clear	Chicago	80	Clear
El Paso	92	Pt Cldy	Indianapolis	78	Clear
Memphis	80	Clear	Kansas City	82	Clear
Buffalo	70	Cloudy	Philadelphia	68	Cloudy
Duluth	68	Cloudy	New York	68	Cloudy
St. Paul	82	Clear	Baltimore	68	Clear
Huron	84	Clear	Louisville	78	Clear
Helena	76	Clear	Nashville	78	Clear
Denver	78	Rain	Cleveland	70	Cloudy
Salt Lake	76	Rain	New Orleans	82	Rain

JAPAN OFFERS NEW BASIS OF COMPROMISE FOR PEACE

Proposal Which Will Affect the Question of Indemnity.

TAKES SUDDEN TURN

Tokyo Is Believed to Have Authorized Concession on "Blood Money."

LEADS UP TO ARBITRATION

[By Associated Press to The Gazette.]

PORTSMOUTH, N. H., Aug. 28.—Tomorrow morning Baron Komura, acting upon instructions received from Tokyo as a result of today's meeting of the cabinet and "elder statesmen" under the direct presidency of the emperor of Japan, will submit to M. Witte a new basis of compromise, and that compromise, it is firmly believed tonight, will insure peace.

The revelation contained in the announcement today that Japan had already informed Emperor Nicholas, through Ambassador Meyer, that Japan was ready to waive the question of indemnity and submit the price to be paid for the northern half of Sakhalin to the judgment of a mixed commission, but prepared the way for Japan's backdown on the main issue. The announcement had been the sensation of the day. It had met with denials high and low. It was declared to be impossible, incredible. The Japanese declined to admit it, and the Russians said they had no confirmation. M. Witte intimated strongly that St. Petersburg had not apprised him of any such action by the president. There was even a disposition to ridicule the idea of arbitrating the price of half of the island. Nevertheless on all hands it was admitted if Japan took this position the ground was cut out from under Emperor Nicholas.

Tables Turned on Russia.

M. Witte by consummate skill in conceding all the demands of Japan involving the real issues of the war, had maneuvered his adversaries into a position where, unless they abandoned the claim for indemnity, they could be held responsible for continuing the war for money.

The Japanese by now foregoing the demand for indemnity practically turn the tables on Russia and shift the burden back to her shoulders if she does not consent to submit a minor issue to the impartial judgment of a tribunal. M. Witte publicly dissents vigorously from the proposition and there will still be a struggle with Peterhof, but if Japan tomorrow agrees to formally renounce all claims for direct or indirect compensation for the expenses of the war the big stumbling block to peace is out of the way.

Everything will depend upon the form in which the proposal is submitted. Should the renunciation be so coupled with the other proposition that Russia could claim it was still only a disguised demand for tribute, the gulf might only be narrowed, not bridged.

War Party Insistent.

All the private advices that reach the Russian mission from St. Petersburg indicate that the military party is bellicose, insistent that Linevitch be given a chance and that negotiations be broken off. M. Witte feels the pressure of this sentiment, and as a man of ambition he may not feel that he can afford to lay himself open to the charge that he is temporizing with the situation. He has power under his instructions to reject out of hand any proposition involving the payment of tribute. He need not consult his imperial master. He is a man of inspiration and he is quite capable, if the Japanese proposition savors still of "blood money," to refuse even to accept it for transmission to St. Petersburg.

But such a stroke is not expected. M. Witte knows that public opinion both in America and in Europe, as well as in Russia would condemn him if he broke off the negotiations just as the way was opened for possible accord.

New Hand Appears.

While apparently the real negotiations leading up to today's denouement were conducted by the president at Oyster Bay, acting through Baron Kaneko on the one hand and Ambassador Meyer on the other, it is now believed that much has been going on beneath the surface here. Another indication of the sudden turn in the events was the arrival here tonight of Frank A. Vanderlip, vice president of the City National bank of New York. He registered at the hotel as "John Howard," and after dinner went to M. Witt's room and remained there one hour.

When asked his mission, Mr. Vanderlip said he was only "interested" in the situation. He had met M. Witte several years ago, when he was at the head of the Russian finance ministry, and had also seen him in New York upon his arrival. He had talked with him about the situation and outlook in Russia, the stage of negotiations, etc. He evaded inquiries as to whether the subject of a loan had been discussed, but considering the importance of the "financial group" of which the City National bank is a member, and the fact that the bank took a portion of the Russian loans it is fair to assume that the question of finance was not entirely ignored.

Some of the Japanese correspondents were greatly excited tonight over the reports that the Tokyo government had surrendered on the subject of indemnity. They refused to believe it, declaring that if true, it would cause a tremendous outburst of popular feeling in Japan.

"Mark Twain" Breaks Fast.

WINSTEAD, CONN., Aug. 28.—(Special.)—Samuel Clemens, "Mark Twain," was given a luncheon today by Prof. M. I. Pupin of Columbia university at the latter's summer home in Norfolk. Fourteen were present. Mr. Clemens has nearly, if not wholly, recovered from his attack of gout. He thought that a feast today would not hurt him after his two weeks' fast. The humorist left Norfolk this afternoon for New York City.

Russia Sees Possible Hope of Ending the Struggle.

OBSTACLE IS REMOVED

Mikado's Latest Action Takes Away the Last Stumbling Block.

LONG SESSIONS AT TOKYO

[By Associated Press to The Gazette.]

ST. PETERSBURG, Aug. 28.—The Associated Press dispatch from Portsmouth declaring that President Roosevelt was authorized several days ago on behalf of Japan to waive all claim for indemnity or reimbursement for the cost of the war, and to cede back to Russia the northern half of the island of Sakhalin, leaving the "redemption" price of it to the arbitration of a mixed commission, was received too late here last night to reach the general public, but its significance was instantly recognized in the quarters where it became known.

There is every reason to believe, judging from the official expressions persistently given out by the foreign office since the beginning of the negotiations at Portsmouth, that this proposal by Japan to waive the question of indemnity goes far toward removing the last and according to official explanations the only stumbling block in the way of peace.

The foreign office has said that every disputed point between Russia and Japan with the exception of the payment of indemnity had been practically arranged on a basis satisfactory to both sides, but that Russian would never pay an indemnity.

Might Insure Peace.

If the latest proposals of Japan mean that she waives all claims to indemnity of any kind or description, giving up all idea of reimbursement for the expenses of the war in any guise whatsoever, and in place thereof is prepared to accept for the restoration to Russia of the northern half of Sakhalin a redemption price to be fixed by an unbiased commission, this price to be determined upon the actual value of the island and not to take into account Japan's war expenses or to carry a concealed indemnity to Japan, there is reason for the assertion that, in all probability Japan's proposal was never understood here in this way, and for the deduction, according to the Russian official statement that the stumbling block to peace can be removed and that there ought to be a new and promising basis for the continuance of the negotiations.

Japanese Statesmen Confer.

TOKYO, Aug. 28.—The conference of the cabinet officers and elder statesmen adjourned at 2 o'clock this afternoon and the participants proceeded to a place where the deliberations were continued under the presidency of the emperor. It is believed that the decision will mean a continuance of the war or peace.

The capital continues exceedingly quiet. No manifestations have resulted from the outwardly critical situation.

The public here remains uninformed regarding the latest developments at Portsmouth, but seems convinced that peace is hopeless. The market reflected this sentiment. After the opening today prices sharply declined.

Shares of the exchange itself declined 20 yen, the heaviest fall on the list. A failure of the peace negotiations would be generally regretted, but the press and all other expressions indicate widespread preference for a continuance of the war rather than the acceptance of unsatisfactory terms. Underlying this popular attitude is deep-rooted confidence that Field Marshal Oyama will defeat Gen. Linevitch and take Harbin, and that the Japanese will completely overrun the coast provinces, possibly greatly lowering the cost of the operations after the main Russian army has been defeated, and continue the war for an extended period.

SUGAR STOCKS CRUMBLE

Rumor of Suicide Causes Paris Market to Drop Almost Four Hundred Points.

[By Associated Press to The Gazette.]

PARIS, Aug. 28.—There was another collapse in the sugar market today, owing to the sudden death under circumstances indicating suicide of Ernest Cronier, chairman of the board of directors of the Say sugar refinery, the most important concern in the trade.

Shares fell 390 points, from 970 to 580. The sugar market suspended operations. The foreign exchanges, according to report, have not been affected by the incident.

WESTINGHOUSE BACKS HIM.

Pittsburgher Said to Be Sticking to John F. Wallace, Late Chief Canal Engineer.

RICHMOND, VA., Aug. 28.—(Special.)—On authority which seems entirely reliable, it is stated that Thomas F. Ryan has decided to make John Findlay Wallace president of the Seaboard Air Line upon the retirement of President J. M. Barr, whose contract with the road expires May 1, 1906.

Mr. Wallace became connected with the big concern of George Westinghouse soon after tendering his resignation as chief engineer of the Panama canal, and Westinghouse is close to Thomas F. Ryan and is said to be holding on to Mr. Wallace until the Seaboard presidency is available for him.

MISS ROOSEVELT TO VISIT CHINA'S EMPRESS DOWAGER

Quite a Number of the Taft Party Will Go to Pekin to Pay Their Respects to Ruler of the Flowery Kingdom.

TSI ANN,

Empress Dowager of China.

[By Private Wire to The Gazette.]

WASHINGTON, Aug. 28.—Miss Alice Roosevelt, daughter of the president, and now traveling in the Philippines with Secretary Taft and his party, will leave that party and accept the invitation of the empress dowager to visit Pekin. This intelligence came to the war department this afternoon in a cablegram from Gov.-Gen. Wright at Manila. The dispatch reads:

The following members of the Philippine party will go to Peking and thereafter travel independently:

Senator and Mrs. Francis G. Newlands of Nevada, Senator Francis E. Warren of Wyoming, Representative Frederick H. Gillett of Massachusetts, Representative W. Bourke Cockran of New York; Representative Nicholas Longworth of Ohio, Miss Alice Roosevelt, Miss Mabel Boardman, Washington, D. C.; Miss Amy Millen, Washington, D. C.; William S. Reyburn, Washington, D. C.; Rogers R. Wetmore, Newport, R. I.; Arthur Woods, Groton, Mass.; Fred E. Warren, Cheyenne, Wyo.; Mr. and Mrs. Emile Godchaux, New Orleans, La.; Mr. Lafe Young, Des Moines, Ia., editor Capital; J. G. Schmidlapp, Cincinnati, O., president Union Savings Bank and Trust Company; Stuyvesant Fish, Jr., Washington, D. C.

The balance of the party will return on the Korea. All well; leave Manila, 11 a. m., on the 31st.

Although there can be no political significance attached to the attention which has been paid to the president's daughter by foreign powers, the fact is regarded here as meaning a great deal for the growing prestige of the United States in world affairs.

MANILA, Aug. 28.—Secretary Taft, Miss Roosevelt and Miss Mabel Boardman, during the rest of their stay here, will be the guests of Commissioner Legardo, who will entertain them according to the old, native customs. On Tuesday Commissioner Legardo will give a farewell reception in honor of the American party and the same night Congressman Bourke Cockran will lecture at the dispensary of St. Paul's hospital on the subject, "The Solo, Unfailing Fountain of Prosperity." The sale of seats has been unprecedented.

Tomorrow, August 29, the visiting congressmen will listen to the political and economical grievances of Fisk, Warren and other agitators.

BIG COMPANY STORE BURNS

Building of Penn Traffic Concern Destroyed—Loss Is Half a Million.

POWDER MAKES TROUBLE

[Special Telegram to The Gazette.]

JOHNSTOWN, PA., Aug. 29.—12:30 a. m.—The big Penn traffic stores, the property of the Cambria Steel Company, are ablaze from end to end. The loss will be half a million dollars. Several firemen are reported caught under a falling wall. Other property is in imminent danger.

At 1 o'clock one-half of the building has been destroyed, the loss on this part alone being half a million dollars. The two parts of the building are connected by a narrow gallery, across which the flames leaped to the second section, which is now burning. The firemen are helpless, and the loss will probably reach a million and a quarter dollars. Several firemen have been slightly injured by falling glass.

The fire is augmented every few minutes by loud explosions of powder stored in the hardware department of the store, the louder detonations being punctuated at short intervals by the lesser crackle of hundreds of cartridges. The entire building is three stories high and about 200 feet long, standing in Washington street. The roof and the two upper floors have fallen but the walls so far stand. The plate glass windows of all the buildings in the opposite side of the street, one of the principal business thoroughfares, have been shattered and the flat dwellers are moving out.

The second section has been gutted and the total loss, it is estimated, will reach a half million dollars. At 1:30 the fire was under control. The insurance is $392,000.

FIRST BORN IN WHITE HOUSE.

Woman Said to Be First Child Left by the Stork in the Executive Mansion Is Dead.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 28.—Mrs. Emily Donelson Wilcox, said to have been the first child born in the White House, the grand niece of Andrew Jackson, and a descendant of John Donelson, the pioneer of Tennessee, died here today, aged 75.

Her husband, John A. Wilcox, was at one time a representative from Tennessee, and also represented Texas in the Confederate congress.

MOTORMAN SAVES AUTOISTS, BUT HAS A GOOD DEFENCE

A motorman saved the lives of two Pittsburgh autoists in Wilkinsburg yesterday, by applying the brakes on his car, but he apologized and gave as his defense the claim that he was stopping the car to let off a passenger. He still had to his credit a broken guard and some smashed tires. The collision between the two arch enemies of the human race occurred at Ross and Swissvale avenues. The automobilists were George Grey and William Pesler.

MORGAN GUEST OF PRESIDENT

Canton-Hankow Railway Again the Subject of Long Talk at Oyster Bay.

MAY BE DECIDED UPON TODAY

[By Associated Press to The Gazette.]

OYSTER BAY, L. I., Aug. 28.—J. Pierpont Morgan had an extended conference today with President Roosevelt. The conference related to matters pertaining to the Canton-Hankow railway in China, and its probable disposition by the present owner, the American China Development Company. The firm of J. P. Morgan & Co. practically controls the road and its concessions.

It is said it is the intention of the directors of the American China Development Company to meet tomorrow in Jersey City, it being a New Jersey corporation, and it is likely that at that meeting the question of the disposition of the road will be determined definitely.

Mr. Morgan arrived at Oyster Bay on his steam yacht Corsair shortly before 1 o'clock this afternoon. Accompanied by a stranger he was conveyed in a launch to the pier and thence in one of the president's carriages to Sagamore Hill. There Mr. Morgan and his friend were luncheon guests of the president and Mrs. Roosevelt. They remained with the president until nearly 3 o'clock, returning then to the Corsair, which sailed soon after they went aboard.

Jesse T. Wilson of Indiana was appointed by President Roosevelt today to be second assistant secretary of the interior. Mr. Wilson will succeed in that position Melville W. Miller, also an Indiana man, whose resignation the president accepted to take effect August 1 last. He is a staunch supporter of Senator Hemenway.

President and Mrs. Roosevelt in the morning went for a long horseback ride. They passed through Oyster Bay village on their return, bowing right and left to friends and neighbors. They reached Sagamore Hill about noon.

MANY WANT LINCOLN FARM.

New Yorker Buys the Birthplace of the Great Emancipator at Sheriff's Sale.

HODGENVILLE, Aug. 28.—Abraham Lincoln's birthplace, a 110 acre farm, was today sold at auction to R. J. Collier of New York for $3,900.

The property was sold by order of court in the bankruptcy case of A. W. Dennette of New York, who had purchased it 15 years ago from the Creal family, into whose hands it came at the time the Lincoln family removed from the state. John H. Burton of Philadelphia and W. D. Frost of Chicago were also bidders at today's sale.

Pittsburghers in Paris.

PARIS, Aug. 28.—Among the Americans in Paris are James S. Hearer, Charles Dreifus, Mrs. Dreifus, Forsiter F. Smith, Mrs. Smith and Miss Laura G. Smith of Pittsburgh, Pa., and G. U. Tech of Wooster, O.

MALIGNERS ARE REBUKED

Republican Canvass in Philadelphia Explodes Charge of Fraud.

ASSESSORS CARELESS

List of Voters Will Not Be Materially Changed by Investigation.

STATE HEADQUARTERS OPENED

The Pittsburgh Gazette Bureau,
Press Building.
PHILADELPHIA, Aug. 28.

Reports received today by the Republican city committee show that the canvass recently ordered by that body is nearly completed. While it will require several days to tabulate the returns it is now possible to closely approximate the final figures. William J. Milligan, chief clerk of the city committee, estimates that the Republican canvass will take from 70,000 to 75,000 names from the assessors' lists which was made up last May. He believes, however, that the canvassers have reported almost as many names, entitled to registration, which will be placed on the lists September 5 and 6.

In very few instances did the Republican canvassers find evidence of intentional fraud. A great majority of the names which they will ask to have stricken off are those of people who have moved from the ward or from the city, and those of dead men. Many of the latter should have been taken from the lists last May, last year or in preceding years, but the assessors have been careless. Never before in the city of Philadelphia has there been such thorough canvass of voters as the one now being completed under the auspices of the Republican organization.

Rebuff to Police Canvass.

It is of necessity an honest count. No other kind would stand the test at this period of the Quaker City's political history. The voters who will take the place of those marked off are men who have moved into wards since the May assessment, and young men who have become of age and who will cast their first vote this fall. This number will be largely augments by the December assessment, when about 3,000 negroes now serving as waiters, etc., at the different shore and mountain resorts will have returned to the city.

The police canvass seems to have been simply a political ploy. It reported 49,000 names, which should be stricken from the assessors' list, but gave no balancing credit in favor of those who are entitled to vote for the first time in the various divisions. Its purpose was to discredit the Republican organization. That was all. One of the most conservative of the Republican leaders today informed the writer that, in his opinion, if 70,000 names were marked off, over 60,000 bona-fide voters would be placed on the assessors' lists. This, at the outside, he said, would be the margin of difference and he really expected a gain instead of a loss. As the prediction was made by one who has gone over all the reports submitted by the canvassers, it should be reliable.

Challenge to Opposition.

After hearing the reports made today the Republican city committee proceeded to call a few blanks of the opposition. It adopted a resolution asking the chairman of the Democratic city committee and the Committee of Seventy to each assign one man to sit with the assessors in each election district when the lists are corrected September 5 and 6. This resolution was offered by Insurance Commissioner David Martin.

David H. Lane offered a resolution ask-

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LIE PASSED BY LAWYERS

Attorneys in Taggart Case Threaten Outbreak in Court.

MRS. TAGGART TALKS

Tells on Witness Stand of Her Past Life and Captain's Abuse.

DENIES TALES OF EVIL DOING

[Special Telegram to The Gazette.]

WOOSTER, O., Aug. 28.—"You're a liar," rasped Attorney Wertz, counsel for Capt. Taggart, as he advanced with clenched fist toward Attorney Smyser, Mrs. Taggart's counsel, shortly after the opening of the fifth week of the divorce trial this morning. The spectators craned their necks, expecting to see blows struck. Judge Mason's voice was heard, ordering the men to desist and threatening to fine both the bellicose lawyers. Wertz hesitated a moment, glared at Smyser and then sat down.

The trouble arose over a letter written by Gen. Corbin in which Corbin referred to Taggart's record and ordered that he should be watched to see that he kept the pledge to abstain from drunkenness. It was intimated that papers from the war department of importance in the case had been tampered with. Wertz was closely questioned and became angry. Then he was finally accused by Smyser of taking a document from a freight office, the lie was passed.

All interest in the trial centered today in the testimony of Mrs. Taggart, the accused wife. She ascended the witness stand dressed in a black skirt, white shirtwaist and black hat. She gave her age as 37 years.

"At the time of my marriage," she said, "I was sick with the grip and was unable to accompany the captain. My mother boards all our household goods when we went to Plattsburgh, Vt. At Plattsburg I tasted my first drink of whisky. I might have tasted beer before that. From Plattsburgh we went to Fort Thomas."

Tells of Married Life.

"Where did you first get acquainted with the Poores?" was asked.

"At Fort Thomas. When they left West Point my husband wrote to them to make our house their home until they could go to housekeeping for themselves."

"Where did you first meet Mrs. Safferans?"

"At Fort Thomas."

Mrs. Taggart then told in a subdued voice of the birth of their four children, two of whom died in infancy. The birth of her first child left her with an injury which from time to time gave her trouble. This was gone into in detail for the purpose of rebutting the evidence offered by the plaintiff as to the cause of her confinement in Christ's hospital.

Continuing Mrs. Taggart said:

At this time "Teddie" was six months old. By request of my husband I joined him at Macon, Ga., leaving "Teddie" at Fort Thomas in care of the regiment's wife. I had been advised not to name "Teddie" and he was living on the bottle. The captain told me to be particular always to set out the drinks for visitors whenever they came. On one occasion some visitors drove out from Chattanooga, and in looking over the sideboard for wine I was unable to find any; but I found a new bottle containing something and I gave them all a drink. When I tried it myself it burned strange and I did not drink it. When the captain came home and saw my full glass on the table he asked me if I had been giving the stuff to visitors. When I said "Yes," he replied, "Well, I'm surprised that they could drink it. It's vermouth." One night shortly after the birth of Oliver

CRAZED LOVER KILLS FIANCEE

William Barber Shoots Promised Bride and Then Blows Out His Own Brains.

SEVERAL WITNESS TRAGEDY

[Special Telegram to The Gazette.]

HUNTINGTON, W. VA., Aug. 28.—Marietta Denny, an orphan, 19 years of age, was shot to death by her fiance, William Barber, at the home of her aunt late this afternoon and the crazed lover then turned the pistol against his own head and blew out his brains.

The body of the young man fell across the feet of the dying girl and neither uttered a word after the shots were fired. Barber and the Denny girl were to have been married in September, but yesterday the girl's father was buried. Today when Barber called he found her weeping and she told him that the wedding would have to be postponed. Barber objected.

The aunt of the girl was appealed to by the young man, but she offered no encouragement, agreeing with her niece that the wedding had better be deferred. Barber left the home. Returning an hour or so later he approached the girl again, requesting that the wedding take place on the date first agreed upon.

Again she refused him. Barber drew his revolver and fired two bullets through her brain. An instant later he ended his own life by sending a bullet through his head. Several women on an adjoining lawn witnessed the tragedy, as well as the aunt of the girl, who was but a few feet away, and who heard the entire conversation. Barber was a clerk in a manufacturing concern.

Plague Takes Another.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 28.—Consul General Lee at Panama cabled the state department today that there was one death from bubonic plague at Panama on Saturday.

LOSES $50,000 AT GAMBLING

W. W. Allis Victim of Queer Game in a Milwaukee Joint.

BIG RAID IS A RESULT

[Special Telegram to The Gazette.]

MILWAUKEE, WIS., Aug. 28.—The loss of nearly $50,000 in a Milwaukee gambling house by W. W. Allis, the millionaire head of the big Allis-Chalmers corporation and prominent in society, is the heaviest ever made in backing the dice in this city, and for this reason, and because of the high standing of the loser, has attracted wide attention.

The incident of the big loss caused the authorities to action against the gaming places. The identity of Mr. Allis as the loser was held back by the police as long as possible. Now that it has been revealed and the circumstances of the meeting are coming to light, the police is demanding a cleanup out of the ordinary.

The most of the money is said to have been lost in one house, the "Oriental," on Third street. It is said that nine places took about $40,000 of the money lost.

Later a woman, became mixed in the game, and is said to have been responsible for the heaviest losses.

It is charged by friends of Allis that the system under which he lost his money has very much the appearance of a deliberate attempt to rob him. They assert he was induced to drink and then brought in contact with the woman, after which it was "easy money" for the gamblers.

Allis gave checks for the losses, and his relatives, who learned of his escapade some time later, managed to stop payment on a good part of the checks.

the captain came home drunk.

Told No Risque Stories.

Did you ever smoke cigarets at Fort Thomas?

Never but once, when I smoked part of one.

Did you ever tell any of the stories that you are reported to have told?

No, sir. I never heard of these stories until after this suit commenced.

What truth is there in the alleged drinking contest between you and Mrs. Poore?

I don't remember anything about such a contest.

Relate the incident of the drinking in the cafe at Manzanzas, Cuba.

Lieut. Benoard, Lieut. Parker, Mrs. Safforans and myself, on invitation of one of the officers went to the cafe for sandwiches and lemonade. Capt. Taggart said he was tired and would not go, but suggested that we should go and bring him a sandwich. We went. The officers took gin rickeys and we took lemonade. One of the officers then paid a bill he owed and the proprietor set up the champagne. I was just about to taste my glass when in walked the captain. He said to me and Mrs. Safforans, "This is a nice time of the night for you to be out." I raised my glass to taste it when the captain knocked it out of my hand. I went home with him. He did not have any shirt or coat on, but had on his overcoat, with the collar turned up about the ears.

The witness then told about their residence at Camp Meade, Pa., and at San Francisco, where she stayed at a hotel until he sailed for Manila.

"Cousin Billy" Comes In.

The witness told of returning to Fort Thomas after Capt. Taggart had sailed and in the latter part of November, 1898, going to Orrville, where she lived with Taggart's parents until March, 1899, when she went to the Hurd hotel for a few weeks, later renting a house of her own.

How did you come to go to a dance with Billy Taggart one evening?

Father Taggart was old and unable to take me, so I asked Billy to do it. He couldn't dance, but he took me and brought me home.

What took place in the house after you returned home?

We had a little lunch, and then Billy left.

What object had you in conversing in whispers?

No object that I know of except awakening the old folks.

What, if anything, improper took place between you and Billy that night?

Nothing whatever.

Did you buy Billy a pair of shoes in Akron on one occasion?

Yes; he asked me to get them for him when I went to Akron, because he could not get any in Orrville to fit him.

Mrs. Taggart then described the events of her trip to Akron with Billy to attend a concert given by an old friend of hers, Miss Jackson. Billy registered for both of them at the Windsor hotel and gave his residence as Cleveland, Ohio.

What act of impropriety took place between you and Billy while on that trip?

Absolutely none.

Denies All Accusations.

Did anything take place between you and Billy while you were living at the Hurd house in Orrville?

No, not a thing.

Did you know of Billy's sending his clothes to wash with yours?

No, sir.

What money did you ever give Billy?

I never gave him any except for work he did around the house.

Did he in any way ever embrace or fondle you?

No, sir; he never did.

Were you ever caught by Culver and the little Eberly girl holding hands with William?

I never knew of such an occurrence.

Mrs. Taggart then described the events of the drive on the evening when they all stopped at the Officers' club and she rode home with Bash, followed by Capt. Taggart. She told of the wordy scrap between the captain and Bash, and how, after entering the house, Taggart accused her of humiliating him before a junior officer, and slapped her.

What was his condition at the time he slapped and swore at you?

He was nervous and excited and I think he was under the influence of liquor.

Tells of Abuse.

Were you ever intimate with Capt. Bash?

No. I always regarded him as a distant friend.

Did the captain slap you on any other occasion while in Manila?

Yes. It was the evening of the bal-poudre, when he came home and found an officer at the house, engaging dances in advance with me for the ball that evening. He accused me of entertaining a drunken officer.

Did anything occur between you and the captain at Nagasaki?

He came back to the ship under the influence of liquor and swore at me for going ashore.

What truth is there in this story of your getting Howard drunk at St. Thomas?

Howard asked me for something to make him drunk one day, and for fun I made a mixture of everything I could find on the sideboard and gave it to him. I did not expect him to drink it and I do not think he did.

How was the captain's treatment of the children? Did he caress and fondle them much?

He always took a great interest in their welfare. He was very proud of them, but was never demonstrative.

The fact is, you and the captain had the same concern and desire for the children's welfare, and each of you did all you could for them?

Yes, sir.

Court was then adjourned until to-morrow.

WOMEN'S PEACE CIRCLE FAVORS ARBITRATION

NEW YORK, Aug. 28.—(Special.)—The New Utrecht branch of the Women's Peace Circle of the city of New York, which seeks to establish arbitration as a substitute for war, will hold its first public meeting in the chapel of the Dutch Reformed church on Wednesday afternoon. The peace circle was founded by Mrs. Arnold Schramm and Mrs. Andrew Carnegie. Mrs. Wilton C. Donn is president of Circle No. 1, the New Utrecht branch.

Lost Hir Right Arm.

Harry Papes, a Greek, aged 30, had his right arm crushed yesterday while at work in the plant of the American Bridge Company at Ambridge. He was taken to the Allegheny General hospital, where the arm was amputated.

OCEAN INTELLIGENCE.

Arrived, Aug. 28.

New York—Finland from Antwerp and Dover; Rotterdam from Rotterdam and Boulogne; Parisian from Glasgow and Moville; Noordam from Genoa, Naples and Gibraltar; Astoria from Glasgow and Moville; Minneapolis from London; Caronia from Liverpool; Kaiser Wilhelm der Grosse from Bremen, Cherbourg—Barbarossa from New York via Plymouth for Bremen and proceeded.

Gibraltar—Prinzess Irene from New York for Naples and Genoa and proceeded.

Bremen—Barbarossa from New York via Plymouth and Cherbourg.

Hamburg—Bulgaria from New York; Moltke from New York via Plymouth and Cherbourg.

Glasgow—Numidian from New York via Moville.

London—Minnetonka from New York.

Dover—Kroonland from New York.

Moville—Furnessia from New York.

Scilly—Graf Waldersee from New York for Dover and Hamburg.

Sailed, Aug. 28.

Cherbourg—Bremen from Bremen and Southampton for New York.

Boulogne—Patricia from Hamburg and Dover for New York.

Palermo—American from Genoa for New York.

TODAY'S AMUSEMENTS.

EMPIRE—"The White Cape," 8:15 p. m.

NIXON—"Simple Simon Simple," 8 p. m.

ALVIN—"The Runaways," 2 and 8 p. m.

BIJOU—Joe Welch in "The Peddler," 8 p. m.

GAIETY—Rose Sydell's London Belles, 2 and 8 p. m.

WILLIAMS' ACADEMY—Harry W. Williams' "Imperial Burlesquers," 2 and 8 p. m.

LUNA PARK—Craig street, near Grant boulevard; open from 10 a. m. to midnight. Concerts afternoon and evening by Robertson's Military band and Miss Blanche Mehaffey, soprano soloist; the Four Bards in acrobatic exhibition.

KENNYWOOD PARK—Always free. Band concerts daily. Giltmores, aerial artists.

SOUTHERN PARK—Free evenings. Heywood, the half-man half-woman and vaudeville, 8:30 p. m.

OAKWOOD PARK—Free evenings. Daly's minstrels and vaudeville, 8:30 p. m.

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CHEERS GREET THE AMERICANS

International Arbitration Congress Applauds Mr. Roosevelt's Name.

SENDS HIM MESSAGE OF THANKS

[By Associated Press to The Gazette.]

BRUSSELS, Aug. 28.—The opening of the interparliamentary congress in the national palace here this morning was the occasion for a notable demonstration in behalf of President Roosevelt and the success of the peace conference at Portsmouth. The session was held in the senate chamber of the palace. Large delegations representing practically all the leading parliaments were present.

The congress was welcomed by the Belgian minister of state who raised a storm of applause when he referred to President Roosevelt's two conspicuous movements in behalf of peace, first, calling another meeting of The Hague conference, and, secondly, in bringing together the plenipotentiaries of Russia and Japan. Baron De Favereau, the Belgian minister for foreign affairs, added flattering tributes to the American president's efforts. The congress then adopted amid enthusiasm, resolutions of thanks to President Roosevelt and the secretary was instructed to cable the following:

President Roosevelt, Oyster Bay, N. Y.:

The interparliamentary congress at Brussels assembled send greetings, and has the honor to advise you that it has passed resolutions expressing its high appreciation of your action in calling a second conference at The Hague in the interest of international peace, and its profound thanks for your noble efforts in the interests of humanity to terminate the Russo-Japanese war.

The congress afterward discussed the American proposition for a model arbitration treaty. Congressman Richard Bartholdt spoke in favor of it. Herr von Plener, president of the Austrian upper house, opposed immediate action owing to the magnitude of the subject.

Mr. Bartholdt also presented the report in behalf of the United States.

The delegation continued to be interested in the results of the conference at Portsmouth.

King Leopold received the delegates to the congress this afternoon. He conversed with each of the American members, expressing his admiration for the United States and saying that he kept President Roosevelt's photograph bearing his signature on his desk in his study.

At the afternoon session the congress further discussed the American propositions for a model arbitration treaty and a permanent congress of the nations. Congressman James L. Slayden of Texas spoke in favor of both propositions.

The congress resolved to refer the treaty proposition to a committee with instructions to report within three months.

Count Apponyi announced that he would support the plan for a permanent congress of the nations and said he would move tomorrow that a special committee report thereon within three months.

This action contemplates having the projects for a model arbitration treaty and a permanent congress ready for submission to the second Hague conference, which is expected to follow the close of the Russo-Japanese war.

A brilliant reception in honor of the delegates was held tonight by the members of the Belgian senate and chamber of representatives.

Congressman William Alden Smith of Michigan left for Berlin tonight, where he will be granted an audience by Emperor William.

PLUNGER'S CREW PROUD OF GREAT PASSENGER

Crew Is Happy at Having Taken the President to Bottom of the Sea.

[By Private Wire to The Gazette.]

NEW YORK, Aug. 28.—With the most self-satisfied crew that ever manned a sub-marine, the Plunger arrived from Oyster Bay at the New York navy yard, today. The crew had received orders not to discuss the president's trip with any one and all visitors were referred to Lieut. Nelson.

"The president was every bit as safe when he went down in the Plunger," Lieut. Nelson said, "as he would be riding in a trolley car. Two hours before he came aboard I took the Plunger through exactly the same movements I intended to make when he was aboard. I requested him not to talk with the members of the crew, for every man has a certain duty and ordinarily they would not let anyone interfere, but I fear they could not withstand the temptation of talking with the president."

"I would not want a better shipmate than the president," one of the machinists said. "He is a democratic sort. One more trip and he would be ready to take any of our places. He asked all kinds of questions after the trip was over about the machinery and how everything was done. Then he wanted to do most of them himself."

BURNS IS WORSTED.

President Faulkner Says Head of That Faction of Glassworkers Is Down.

CLEVELAND, O., Aug. 28.—Announcement was made today by President A. L. Faulkner of the Amalgamated Window Glass Workers of America that his organization had won out over the Burns faction of glass workers. He says that 1,000 of the men of his organization in different parts of the country will start to work next Saturday for manufacturers who have signed the scale presented by his organization.

President Faulkner said that he had received word from an official of his organization in Morganotwn, W. Va., that W. A. Jones, who is a member of the wage committee of the National Association of Window Glass Manufacturers, had signed the amalgamated scale. President Faulkner stated that 13 manufacturers had signed the scale to start their factories next Saturday, representing 361 pots.

Gambler Too Slick for Officers.

NEW CASTLE, PA., Aug. 28.—Mathew Crand, who is alleged to run a gambling room in Beaver Falls, escaped from officers from that place who had come to arrest him this evening. Crane was in a billiard room in the Municipal building here when the officers arrived to arrest him. He was allowed to go to the lavatory unaccompanied by the officers and while they were awaiting his return he crawled through a window and escaped.

Coshocton Citizen Dies.

COSHOCTON, O., Aug. 28.—(Special.)—Peter P. DeHart, a prominent figure in Coshocton industrial life and a leader in the Republican party of Coshocton county, died today from a tumor on the brain. Besides his widow he is survived by two children—Mrs. Harry Hunt of Coshocton, and Frank DeHart, at home.

WHERE GAUNT FAMINE RAGES

The above shows the Giralda tower and Court of Oranges in Seville, Spain, the capital of the province and former kingdom of that name. Throughout the province famine exists among the peasants and factory workmen to such an extent as to cause serious alarm throughout Spain.

RUSSIAN ARMY DESERTER FLEES TO PITTSBURGH

Escapes from Mukden by Paying Graft to His General—Came to America Disguised as a Chinaman—Visits City Hall.

A deserter from the Russian army in the war with Japan regularly every day visits the offices in the Pittsburgh city hall. He goes by the name of Abe Childs and is a fruit peddler and he finds ready sale for his wares among the employes of the municipal building. Abe is an intelligent foreigner and has an interesting story to tell of his hasty exit from the service of the czar.

His story shows that the Russian army is made up of men who have no heart for the war with Japan, and who fight only because they cannot avoid a fight. In broken English Abe, yesterday in the city clerk's office, told how and why he left the Russian army in Manchuria.

"I am a Russia Jew," said he. "My father, brother and I had a fruit store in Odessa. I had been in the army five years before and had to go in again when the war with Japan broke out. I had to leave my wife and baby behind and went with the army to fight Japan. The Jews were put in the front and I was one who had to dig trenches. This was at Mukden. I got hardly anything to eat, although the officers had plenty to eat and drink.

"Our general was drunk all the time and got money from the soldiers by allowing them to desert. On the night that I left 30 men deserted and each man gave the general $25. I had 200 roubles which I had saved in business in Odessa. I gave the general $25 of this and spent the balance to get to America. I bought a Chinese suit of clothes and went to China where we got on a Chinese ship and went to London. From London I came to Philadelphia. I came to Pittsburgh because I had an uncle and friends here. I would not go back to Russia.

"If I did go back I would be shot for deserting. I have been here about a year. I am saving my money and next Christmas I will have enough to bring my wife and baby to this country. Then I am going to apply for papers to become an American citizen. Almost every man in the Russian army would desert and come to America if he could get away and had money. Many soldiers deserted as I did every night and were allowed to go by paying the general $25 apiece."

GOVERNOR OF IOWA ASSERTS HE'S RIGHT

Answers Mr. Shaw and Gives His Authority for the Chicago Speech.

[By Associated Press to The Gazette.]

DES MOINES, IA., Aug. 28.—Gov. A. B. Cummins today indited a reply to the letter written to him by Secretary of the Treasury Leslie M. Shaw, who criticised Gov. Cummins for misquoting the secretary in a speech before the Chicago reciprocity convention. The governor's letter says:

I am sincerely gratified to know that you deny having made the statement, for it was impossible to reconcile it with the truth, and I am not less gratified to be given the opportunity to advise you of my authority for imputing the sentiment to you.

I promptly give you my authority for stating that you were reported as saying in your speech at Des Moines that the senate failed to approve the French treaty because it gave France everything and the United States nothing.

In the Des Moines Capital of Saturday, May 27, 1905, (the day after your speech here), you will find a long editorial, entitled "Secretary Shaw." It deals wholly with your speech of the day before. I quote that part of it upon which I relied in my address at Chicago:

"In his own original way he drove home certain facts that will be remembered. He exposed the proposed French treaty in all its deformity, demonstrating that we were offering France a tremendous bargain, and getting practically nothing in return."

If this be not a sufficient basis for the statement that I made in Chicago, I have yet to learn the meaning of the commonest words of my mother tongue. Lafayette Young, the editor of the Des Moines Capital, was present at the luncheon and heard your speech. He is your political friend and ally. He is in sympathy with your views. He is himself a speaker of wonderful power, and knows what words mean. He writes constantly concerning the tariff and reciprocity, and could not have been mistaken with respect to the trend and conclusion of your argument.

When he wrote, in his vivid, striking way that you "exposed the proposed French treaty in all its deformity, demonstrating that we were offering France a tremendous bargain and getting practically nothing in return," it was not possible for me to doubt that you had said what he had imputed to you. I know that he could easily misunderstand me, but it is incredible that he should misunderstand you.

HELEN DIXIE JOHNSON DROWNED WHILE BATHING

NEW YORK, Aug. 28.—Mrs. June Johnson of Little Rock, Ark., a magazine contributor who wrote under the nom de plume of Helen Dixie Johnson, was drowned while bathing at Coney Island today. Mrs. Johnson entered the water during the forenoon and as there were few other bathers at the time, no one noted her disappearance. Her body was found some distance out at sea.

MITCHELL PREPARES FOR TITANIC STRUGGLE SOON

Mine Workers President Expects Grea Battle With Employers Next Year.

[Special Telegram to The Gazette.]

WILKESBARRE, PA., Aug. 28.—President John Mitchell of the United Mine Workers has been in the hard coal region for several weeks conducting a campaign among the miners, which has been aggressive in the extreme. Organization has been Mitchell's watchword all through his campaign. As a result nearly all those who were indifferent or had not paid their dues have made application to join the locals. The secretaries of some of the latter report that their membership has doubled in two weeks.

Mitchell makes no secret of what he is going to demand. He wants an eight-hour day and recognition of the union. The latter demand will be the hardest to obtain from the operators. President Mitchell says there is no sentiment in his demand for recognition of the union; that the miners as a party to a contract are entitled to it. He quotes Prof. Hadley of Yale as saying eight hours a day is long enough for any man to work.

The only move the operators have made so far is to mine considerable coal and store it. One report has it that when the three years' agreement expires and Mitchell makes his demands, the order will go forth to close down all the mines. The operators count upon having enough coal stored to supply the spring and summer demand, and by enforced idleness tire out the miners. Growing restless in idleness the men are counted upon to break away from Mitchell's control and return to work. Mitchell says the amount of coal stored will be limited and the miners will be prepared for a lockout should one be ordered. They have nearly $2,000,000 in their treasury now and by next March there will be $3,000,000.

Business interests in the anthracite region will be more or less unsettled until the two sides get together and come to an agreement.

FEMALE BIGAMIST DID NOT ATTEMPT SECRECY

Philadelphia's Much Married Maid Languishes in Jail Waiting for Bail Which Does Not Come.

[By Private Wire to The Gazette.]

PHILADELPHIA, Aug. 28.—Although she has been in jail since Saturday, charged with bigamy, none of Mrs. Marion S. Hepler's alleged eight husbands have come forward and offered bail for her release. She is in Moyamensing prison.

Mrs. Rapp, Mrs. Hepler's mother, spent a busy day looking in vain for a bondsman. Mrs. Repp returned to her home late in the afternoon and said she was disappointed but not discouraged.

The most surprising feature of Mrs. Hepler's alleged frequent ventures in matrimony was her utter disregard for secrecy. According to Elmer Smith, the husband who made the charge against Mrs. Hepler, she was married and lived with her husbands almost within a stone's throw of Smith's home. Two of these marriages, Smith says, took place in churches, the spires of which can be seen from the front doorstep of his home.

General Kuropatkin Resigns.

LONDON, Aug. 29.—The Japanese correspondent of the Daily Telegraph at Moji, Japan, sends a report that Gen. Kuropatkin has resigned his command and that his health has given way.

Secure Your Tickets and Pullman Accommodations at 350 Fifth Avenue

For the Pennsylvania Railroad last SEASHORE EXCURSION on September 7th. $10.00 in coaches or $12.00 in Pullman cars when accompanied by usual Pullman charges. Tickets good 15 days.

"JIMMIE" MULLEN LOSES HIS WAY AND HAS A DOORSTEP FOR A BED

"Jimmie" Mullen, aged 12, decided to visit his aunt, who keeps a small store in Dithridge street, so he quietly ran away from St. Paul's orphan asylum where he had been placed by his mother, who, he says, works at Sewickley, and three nights ago landed in the Oakland district. He had been to his aunt's house but once before so had a vague idea of its location.

Last night the Oakland police received a telephone call from a woman who said a little boy had been sleeping on the front steps of a store several doors below her place for the past three nights and that every time any one spoke to him he ran away.

Bicycle Policeman Joseph Leach investigated and found "Jimmie" asleep on the steps. While passing the store on his way to the station house the woman who had telephoned the police came out to see the child and recognized in him "Jimmie," her little nephew.

YELLOW FEVER CAUSES CLASH

Municipal and State Authorities Wrangle Over Methods of Quarantine.

BOARD OF HEALTH RESIGNS

[By Associated Press to The Gazette.]

NEW ORLEANS, Aug. 28.—The yellow fever report for today is as follows:

New cases	6
Total to date	1,776
Deaths	1
Total deaths	303
New foci	2
Total	12
Remaining under treatment	181

So thorough is the control of yellow fever in New Orleans believed to be now, that it is expected within the next 10 days Dr. White will be able to reorganize his forces, dividing the city into districts instead of wards, and reducing the force of workers now employed.

Interest attaches to the developments in connection with the discovery of yellow fever at Gulfport, Miss. Gov. Vardaman sometime ago announced that there would be proceedings against doctors in Mississippi who suppressed the existence of yellow fever. Details in the case of Mrs. Collins, the first Gulfport case reported, indicate that yellow fever was present at Gulfport several weeks ago, as she had been in Gulfport for several weeks before taking sick. Dr. Wasain found three cases of yellow fever in the neighborhood in which Mrs. Collins lived, at Gulfport.

Many persons who went north on vacations on the appearance of yellow fever are now beginning to return to New Orleans, believing that the worst is now over.

NATCHEZ, MISS., Aug. 28.—City Health Officer Fitchette refuses to accept the diagnosis of the county health office and other physicians that there is a pronounced case of yellow fever in Natchez. Dr. Young of the Marine hospital service is on his way to Natchez from Jackson on a special train. The suspicious cases are a negro and a Mrs. Eisenstein, living in the same block.

HOUSTON, TEX., Aug. 28.—State Health Officer Tabor today quarantined against Memphis. The restrictions affect only people from Memphis. Passengers coming through Memphis will continue to be admitted to Texas.

LITTLE ROCK, ARK., Aug. 28.—Four members of the state board of health today mailed to Gov. Davis their resignations on account of the friction that has arisen between the board and the state administration and Gov. Davis' action yesterday in assuming full charge of the quarantine situation. The governor gave orders that special permits of the board issued to Louisiana persons be disregarded, and that no more charges be made for health certificates.

MALIGNERS ARE REBUKED

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ing the assessors to sit during the evenings of September 1, 2, 3 and 4 for the purpose of giving an opportunity for registration to the many thousands entitled to a vote, but who would hardly be able to register within the two days fixed by law, September 5 and 6. The resolution recites that the assessors will receive no compensation for this extra work, but they are asked to do it in the interest of the Republican party, of which they are members. The Lane resolution also provides that the city committee headquarters shall be kept open until September 6 in order that information may be given anyone who wants to know the law governing registration and other facts in connection therewith. The resolution was unanimously adopted.

Among the reports made today was that of the Twenty-eighth ward, where the police reported that there were 69 names which should be stricken from the assessors' list. The report submitted by George Stehr, Jr., the member from the ward, showed that there were 344 removals and 49 deaths, making a total of 393. The number of new voters, he stated, was 1,063, which would increase the total number of voters in his ward over the last May assessment by 106. Other wards showed similar gains.

State Headquarters Opened.

Before and after the committee meeting there were important conferences at Senator Penrose's office in the Arcade building. Israel W. Durham, Senator James McNichol, David H. Lane and former Directors Smyth and Costello were present. Nearly all of the ward leaders attended one or the other of the conferences. It is probable that some attention was given the charges against Mayor Weaver which will be investigated by next month by the committee of select councils.

State Chairman W. R. Andrews and his staff of stenographers and clerks came up from Atlantic City this morning and opened the state headquarters on Locust street. Col. Andrews will now remain here until November 7. He has recovered his health and today conferred with a score or more of county leaders who met him by appointment. His reports, the chairman said, were very satisfactory, indicating that there is no serious factional disturbance in any part of the state.

Ex-Senator W. H. Andrews, who went to the shore to visit his brother, the state chairman, spent the day here. He will return to Near Mexico next week. The delegate to congress from New Mexico laughed at the story that he had been sent to help Senator Penrose save the state organization.

"Penrose doesn't require my help," he said. "Pennsylvania is always safely Republican, and the organization will poll its usual majority in November. The fight being made on the Republican leaders in Philadelphia will not have any effect on the vote throughout the state. Republicans understand the situation. They know that Wanamaker is the powder behind the wad and that he is using the same men and the same tactics he used in his seven-year battle to take the leadership from Quay. He lost then and he will lose this time. His bunch of caucus-and-primary-bolting insurgents will never control the Republican party of Pennsylvania."

CHESTER D. POTTER.

Steals Mr. Rockefeller's Hat.

CLEVELAND, O., Aug. 28.—(Special.)—James J. Crowe, if the allegations made against him be true, has excellent taste. He was arrested last night on the charge of stealing John D. Rockefeller's silk hat from the Euclid Avenue Baptist church while the oil king was worshiping Sunday morning. It is not expected that Rockefeller will appear against him.

Texas Oil Advanced.

EAST BEAUMONT, TEX., Aug. 28.—The Texan company today posted an advance of 2 cents a barrel on the production of all Texas oil fields. The new list is as follows: Sour Lake, 30 cents; Saratoga, 24 cents; Hanson, 23 cents; Rumble, 22 cents.

HAPPENINGS OF THE DAY.

—Twenty cases of contagious diseases were reported to the Pittsburgh bureau of health yesterday. They were 16 of typhoid fever, two of scarlet fever and two of diphtheria.

—People residing in the vicinity of Beltzhoover and Washington avenues were startled last night by a number of shots fired in the rear of the Presbyterian church. A policeman found Henry Weber of Excelsior street indulging in some target practice and arrested him.

—Fellow Prides, who formerly boarded with Lizzie Miller, 2526 Penn avenue, was committed to jail last night by Alderman Kirby on a charge of larceny. He is accused of stealing a $25 watch from his former boarding mistress.

—While lighting a furnace, John Schmidt, aged 28, was severely burned by an explosion yesterday at the Mayberg-Evans glass works in South Eighth street.

TWENTY MEN GO DOWN WITH SHIP

Only Two Survivors to Tell the Story of the Sinking of the Peconic.

MEN LAND NEAR FERNANDINA

[By Associated Press to The Gazette.]

FERNANDINA, FLA., Aug. 28.—Twenty men, comprising all but two of the officers and crew of the American steamship Peconic, bound from Philadelphia to New Orleans with coal, were drowned by the sinking of that vessel off the coast of Florida today. The disaster was the result of a fierce gale which raged along the coast during the night and early morning. Lashed by the storm, an immense wave struck the vessel with terrific force about 12:30 o'clock this morning. The impact, coming just as the vessel was making a turn, caused a shift of the cargo, and the vessel leaned over and sank immediately. The accident occurred so quickly that only two of those aboard her—an Italian and a Spaniard, were able to save themselves. They succeeded in getting into a lifeboat and reached Amelia Beach about noon and on landing told the story of the disaster.

These men could speak no word of English. They said they were the only survivors of the crew of the Peconic, commanded by Capt. Jones.

About midnight of Sunday, during the heaviest part of the storm which had raged all day, the officers of the deck gave the order to put further out to sea, fearing they were approaching the coast too nearly. In the endeavor to turn, the ship was struck with a heavy sea, the cargo shifted, and she began sinking rapidly. In less than 10 minutes after the alarm was sounded she had gone to the bottom, and no trace of her was left upon the waters. The account of the escape of the two men out of all the ship's crew was remarkable.

One of these was at the wheel at the time the order was given, the other was upon watch. As soon as the ship began to careen these two men rushed for one of the small boats, which they jumped into as the vessel began to go down. With their knives they severed the ropes as the water's level was reached and the small boat was thrown far out on the waves. They furthermore say that they discovered through the blackness and storm the figures of part of the awakened crew, some of whom managed to crowd into another of the ship's boats. This was, however, caught in a trough of the sea, thrown violently against the ventilators, and then wedged fast. Their pitiful cry for help could be heard as the ship went down in the sea which swallowed her up.

Alone, through the balance of the night, in the awful wash of waters, with the storm raging and threatening each moment to swamp their small boat, these two men were gradually borne ashore toward Amelia Island, landing just at 11 a. m. today.

YOUNG VETERANS REUNITE.

Spanish American War Members Meet at Findlay—Gov. Herrick Reviews Parade and Attends Campfire.

FINDLAY, O., Aug. 28.—(Special.)—The first day of the state encampment of the Spanish American War veterans opened in this city this morning. Each delegation was met at the train by a band and a reception committee, consisting of Findlay veterans. The morning sessions of both the Veterans and Ladies' Auxiliary were devoted to routine work.

Gov. Herrick arrived this morning and a reception was held for him at the Phoenix Inn. He delivered the principal address at the campfire in the evening. The real work of the convention will begin Tuesday morning. This afternoon a parade was held and reviewed before Gov. Herrick. Several ladies' auxiliary drill teams are in the city to compete for the prizes.

OPERATOR SUDDENLY LEAVES HIS OFFICE

BEAVER, PA., Aug. 28.—(Special.)—George Manchester, night operator of the Pittsburgh & Erie railroad, handed the keys of the office to a bystander tonight and said that he was going to leave. On last Saturday Manchester was arrested here on the charge of bigamy, but after he was in jail the girl with whom he had been living said they had never been married, and he was released. The girl's father, who said his name was Bell of Clarksburg, Butler county, swore out the warrant for his arrest. It is claimed that Manchester's first wife lives in Jamestown, N. Y. The girl he lived here with has returned to her home in Butler county.

BOY'S ARREST CAUSES HIS MOTHER'S DEATH

ERIE, PA., Aug. 28.—(Special.)—Looking across the street and seeing her son James being placed under arrest for fighting, Mrs. Margaret Dorsey ran to the officer's side intending to plead for leniency. Overcome by the excitement and the effect of running, she fell fainting, and a short time later was dead from heart failure. Another son, shocked by his mother's sudden death, is not expected to live.

Alleges Bucket Shop Is Run.

MARIETTA, O., Aug. 28.—(Special.)—Henry Rosser, ex-member of the state legislature and postmaster under the Cleveland administration, filed charges today against C. R. Richardson & Co., correspondents of the Keystone Security and Investment Company of Pittsburgh, accusing them of operating a bucket shop. President Richardson of the company today entered a plea of not guilty to the charge. Rosser has lost a fortune and alleges that most of it went through the channels of the stock exchange.

Prominent Man Dies Suddenly.

MOUNDSVILLE, W. VA., Aug. 28.—(Special.)—L. B. Purdy, president of the county court, died suddenly today, aged 65. He was a union soldier and after the war became prominent in politics.

Manufacturer Drops Dead.

WATERTOWN, N. Y., Aug. 28.—A special to the Standard from Thousand Island park says that N. R. Lafevre, aged 70, of Beaver Falls, a prominent paper manufacturer and retired merchant, dropped dead at his summer home there today.

Ex-Mayor in Critical Condition.

YOUNGSTOWN, O., Aug. 28.—(Special.)—The condition of Thomas H. Wells, the millionaire coal operator and rolling mill man, tonight is critical, and he cannot live many hours. He is 84 years old and a pioneer of the Mahoning valley.

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ARMY INVADES THE NORTH SIDE

Peaceful Mission of Over a Thousand Bright and Handsome Schoolmarms.

INSTITUTE'S INITIAL SESSION

The Third ward, Allegheny, sometimes irreverently called Dutchtown, was invaded yesterday by an army 1,200 strong. It was an army bent on a peaceful mission and went without carrying banners, and even without weapons, except of the hat-pin variety.

The mission was merely to spread the gospel of enlightenment among those who sitteth in darkness, and incidentally to promote the cultivation of civic virtue and good citizenship as distinguished from graft and municipal total depravity.

And some there be who broadly intimate that this invading army, which was none other than the Allegheny County Teachers' institute, had an eye out for the missionary and reformatory possibilities of the field by sweeping down upon despised Allegheny—but not at all. The teachers went to the North Side merely because Carnegie Music hall at Schenley park, the usual meeting place, was unavailable this year, and because Pittsburgh has no large hall centrally located for the holding of big conventions.

The annual institute opened yesterday at the Third ward school, North avenue and James street, with a rush for registration resembling the scenes incident to the filing of homestead claims. This registration was important because $2 a day for attendance can be had only upon a certificate of such attendance—and this per diem for the week would buy a "creation" in fall millinery.

The Y's Are Numerous.

In the long list of names recorded by Secretary Bryan were Maes, Maymes, Katharynes, Mabelles, Estelles, Carolynes, Blanches and Maudes, and even a few Consuelos, many of them with single initials preceding, which gave the cognomens a distinguished air and showed that local school marms can indulge their pet fads and fancies as well as the swell metropolitan 400.

As Superintendent Hamilton is ex-officio president of the body, the only thing necessary in the way of organization was the naming of his assistants. Those selected were Superintendents Grant Norris of Braddock, J. M. Norris of Homestead, J. L. Allison of Wilkinsburg, A. D. Endsley of Tarentum and F. L. Hannium of Sheraden as vice presidents, and W. S. Bryan of Carnegie as secretary. The committee on resolutions is composed of H. B. Twitmyer of Knoxville, F. E. Ficklinger of Sewickley and C. C. Kelso of

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Sharpsburg, and that on necrology of Miss Mary H. Gibson of Wilkinsburg, Miss Hallie W. Jack of Braddock and Miss Clara B. Kennedy of Tarentum.

While the registration was going on many teachers took the opportunity to inspect the magnificent Third ward building, especially its manual training, domestic science and kindergarten equipment, and the careful provision made for ventilation and sanitation. In this way the fine building furnished an instructive object lesson to hundreds of teachers whose educational facilities do not include such up-to-date improvements. It is probable that many of the county school directors will make a similar inspection on Thursday when they will attend the special session arranged for them.

Object of the Institute.

In speaking of the object of the meeting yesterday, Dr. Hamilton said: "It is to train, inspire, uplift and help, rather than amuse. The annual teachers' institute is intended to benefit the children through the teachers, and the absenteeism on the children by failing to get for them what it offers. Such teachers, defending their lack of interest and their stunted professional growth, say an institute is of little value! So it is to them. But this is no fault of the institute. It can benefit only those who have the capacity to receive and apply what it gives."

After a brief congratulatory address at the first formal session it which Dr. Hamilton said the institute was not a circus, he introduced Musical Director T. L. Gibson of Ebensburg, who with Miss Beulah Remington as accompanist, led in singing, "Once in a While" by Nixon Waterman, and "America." The first speaker was Dr. W. W. Stetson, state superintendent of the public schools of Maine. Dr. Stetson is widely known as an educational leader and writer. One of his latest works is on a timely subject now occupying much attention, "Waste in the Administration of the Public Schools." His topic yesterday was "Lessons from the Records," and incidentally he created a mild sensation by flaying some darling educational fads, or "spasms," as he called them, especially psychology, nature study and industrial training. Of course, Dr. Stetson favors the highest cultivation of these subjects but criticises their abuse or their degeneration into fads.

Responsibility Is Divided.

The speaker said the family, the church and the community, as well as the school, are responsible for the training of the child. That community that does not insist upon civic righteousness is not a safe community. The school has the child but one-eighth of his time—the home, the church and the community have him the remainder of his time and it is not wise for the school to attempt eight-eighths of his training. He said there are three forms of spasms now afflicting the educational people in almost every section, namely, the psychological spasm, the nature study spasm and the manual training spasm, all of which are good things in themselves, but much abused.

In closing his address Dr. Stetson said there are six classes with whom the schools deal. Two of these should not be in the schools at all, the mentally deficient and the morally defective. The schools must care for at least four other classes, each of which is a perplexing problem, these classes being the book-ish child, the merely physical child, the artistic, poetic and sensitive child, and the crank or freak. "Let the home, the church and the community do their duty; let us do ours!" said Dr. Stetson.

After the recess and the singing of Lucy Larcom's "Fawn Footed Nannie," Superintendent James M. Coughlin of Wilkesbarre was introduced. He was loudly applauded and referred to the last time he appeared before the local teachers at the Bedford Avenue High school, 15 years ago. His subject was "Language" and after illustrating the ridiculous results of poor teaching in language lessons he emphasized the questions when, where and how language should be taught in the various grades. He showed by an original chart the relative importance of the various branches of study and appealed to the teachers for greater endeavor in cultivating in their pupils a love and interest in the language and literature of their mother tongue.

At today's sessions Dr. Coughlin will continue his lectures on language and Dr. Stetson will speak on "The Literary Training of the Teacher," and "The Coming American."

Secure Your Tickets and Pullman Accommodations at 360 Fifth Avenue

For the Pennsylvania Railroad last SEASHORE EXCURSION on September 7th, $10.00 in coaches or $12.00 in Pullman cars when accompanied by usual Pullman charges. Tickets good 16 days.

"TIM" O'LEARY GOES TO JAIL IN DEFAULT OF $300 BAIL

Is Held for Court on Charge of Passing a Check for $60 on the Cashier of the County Treasurer's Office.

"Tim O'Leary, ex-mercantile appraiser of Allegheny county and one of the best known Democratic politicians in the state, was committed to jail last night in default of $300 bail on a charge of false pretense.

O'Leary was arrested several days ago on the charge of false pretense. He had passed a check drawn on the Exchange National bank of this city, and calling for $60, upon Harry K. Moseley, cashier in the county treasurer's office.

At the time of the arrest O'Leary gave bail for appearance at the hearing which was held last night before 'Squire W. R. Nicholson in Esplen. After hearing the case the alderman held O'Leary under $300 bond for appearance in court, but as the prisoner was without bondsmen he was turned over to a constable and brought to jail. Moseley alleges that O'Leary gave him the check several months ago, since when it has remained unpaid. O'Leary had $6 in the bank.

O'Leary, who gained special distinction by wearing a high silk hat which was an almost inseparable companion with the exception of a short time last summer when it was stolen, wore a straw hat last night when he walked into the jail and appeared to be in good spirits notwithstanding his predicament. He announced that he expected to procure bail today.

"Tim" O'Leary.

MEMBERS FAVOR THE BOND ISSUE

University Club Is Assured of Fine New Home in Bellefield District by April 1.

LET CONTRACT IN A MONTH

By April 1 the University club of Pittsburgh will be occupying as its own home, built especially for it, one of the handsomest and best appointed clubhouses in Pittsburgh.

All doubt as to this proving true was removed last evening when the members of the club voted unanimously in favor of the issue of $200,000 of bonds by which the plan will be financed. The meeting of the club members was held at the Union club, which has been the home of the University club since April, 1904, when its lease on its old quarters in Penn avenue expired.

That the members would ratify the plan formally was beyond doubt and in the past year the bonds have been placed among the members themselves.

For the present but $160,000 of the authorized issue of $200,000 of bonds will need to be spent. This will secure the site, erect the clubhouse and equip it, according to present plans. The directors have the authority to issue the additional $40,000 if it should be found advisable to do so. The acquiring of a larger site would be the most probable reason for such action.

Site on Schenley Farm.

The club has secured from the Schenley Farms Company a site on the proposed extension of the boulevard from Fifth avenue to Center avenue. The boulevard will be 80 feet wide. The lot purchased for the club is 90 feet by 150. The lot is only 150 feet from Fifth avenue.

Architects McClure & Spahr have prepared the floor plans for the structure and are now preparing the working drawings. It is expected the contract for the construction can be let and work started within a month.

The exterior of the clubhouse will be of brick and stone. The building will have a basement and four floors. In the basement will be a swimming pool, the bowling alleys and storerooms. On the first floor will be located the office, the cafe, the lounging room and the billiard and pool room. On the second floor will be the main dining room and private dining rooms, the ladies' dining room, the reception room, library and card rooms. On the third floor will be 20 sleeping rooms. On the fourth floor will be the squash court, kitchen and servants' rooms.

A special feature of the club will be the spacious porches to be built in the rear of the first three floors. These can be enclosed so as to be used in the winter and will serve for cafe purposes.

Have Project Financed.

The work of financing the project has been under way for about two years. The building committee is composed of E. B. Vaill, George D. Edwards, S. W. B. Moorhead, C. A. McClure and William Metcalfe, Jr.

"It is our aim to have in the University Club's new home the center of the college and university activities of Pittsburgh," said Secretary E. P. Young of the club last evening. "We will have the facilities to accommodate the many college dinners which are held annually or oftener in Pittsburgh. When the city is honored by the visit of a distinguished educator the University Club is pre-eminently the appropriate place for his entertainment and our accommodations will be such that no superior ones are to be had. Not only the college alumni associations, but the Greek letter fraternities will find in the new University Club the natural place for their gatherings. Our location in Bellefield brings us close also to the great work of the Carnegie institute and the Carnegie Technical schools, in which many college and university men are and will be engaged."

SEEKS CHARTER FOR TURTLE CREEK LINE

New Street Railway to Be Known as the Electric Avenue Railway Is Projected.

Application will be made September 18 for a charter for the Electric Avenue Street Railway Company, which proposes to construct lines in East Pittsburgh, Turtle Creek and North Braddock.

Henry O. Evans, Esq., represents the applicants for the charter, whose real identity is for the present not allowed to become public.

It is suggested that in these days when every unoccupied street is promptly snatched up by a syndicate that it has been found advisable by people intending to open up a piece of property to protect their streets by means of charters they take themselves. In due time it is expected the street car lines will be built.

Following is the route laid out by the Electric Avenue line:

Beginning at a point on Braddock avenue, in Turtle Creek, at the intersection of Braddock avenue and Electric avenue; thence along Electric avenue in a northwesterly direction to the dividing line between Turtle Creek and East Pittsburgh; thence continuing along Electric avenue, in East Pittsburgh, to the line dividing East Pittsburgh and North Bradock; thence continuing along said Electric avenue, North Braddock, to the line of Wilkins township, and returning by the same route to the place of beginning. Also, beginning at a point on Electric avenue, at its intersection with Linden avenue, in the borough of East Pittsburgh; thence along Linden avenue to Cable avenue in said borough of East Pittsburgh and returning by the same route to the place of beginning. Also beginning at a point in Linden avenue, at its intersection with Beech street, in East Pittsburgh, thence along Beech street, in East Pittsburgh, to Braddock avenue.

11 3-4 Hours Pittsburgh to Atlantic City Without Change of Cars.

Pennsylvania Railroad announces their last SEASHORE EXCURSION on September 7th. Trains of Pullman parlor cars and day coaches leave Union Station at 8:35 A. M. Evening trains at 4:55, 8.00 and 10:00 P. M. Tickets good 16 days. Rate $10.00 in coaches only, or $12.00 in Pullman cars when accompanied by usual Pullman charges.

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PASSENGERS SEE HORRIBLE SIGHT

Victim of Highwayman Falls at Feet of People Leaving Baltimore & Ohio Station.

FOOTPAD MAKES HIS ESCAPE

While many people were leaving the Baltimore & Ohio railroad station about 9:45 o'clock last night, a horrible sight met their gaze. A number of women almost fainted and had to be assisted to the street by men. The people had come in on one of the trains, and as they walked out of the trainshed a man dazed and covered with blood staggered out from under the Water street side of the trainshed and fell head foremost on the cobblestones.

The cries of fright from the people who had been walking next the rail attracted the attention of others, but after the first sight few cared to stop to investigate the man's condition. A negro roustabout ran to Smithfield and Water streets and called an officer, who after looking at the man, ran to a patrol box and called the patrol wagon. The man became unconscious when he fell, and although several men went to his assistance and tried to get him to speak, the man remained unconscious of their efforts.

When the patrol wagon arrived the man, who had a knife gash extending from the left ear to the mouth, a deep slash across the left breast and cut across the back of his head, showed a feeble sign of life. The officers placed him on a stretcher and carried him to the patrol wagon, which took the man to the Homeopathic hospital.

No one about the station had heard a struggle or cries coming from under the trainshed, but any cry for help which the man might have made would have been drowned by the noise of the engine which had brought the train in. The man is apparently a working man, but no one in the crowd which gathered on the water front and saw him before the partol wagon took him away had noticed him on the water front or about the railroad station before.

The man recovered consciousness while the physicians were dressing his wounds at the hospital. He gave his name as Michael Lynch and his home is in Sewickley. The doctors were unable to get any further information from him, as he was still in a badly dazed condition.

The wound in his face was made by a razor and the one in the left breast by a knife. The physicians found the blade penetrated the left lung and hemorrhages are feared. The wound in the back of Lynch's head is a peculiar one and last night it was impossible to tell whether it had been made with a knife or something else. The physicians stated Lynch's chances for recovery are very slight.

While standing in Fifth avenue, near Pride street, James Kelly of 261 Colwell street, was stabbed in the left side by an unknown Italian last night. The wound in Kelly's side was about two inches long, but superficial. The matter was reported to the police.

HIS FEET GIVE HIM AWAY.

McKeesport Police Have Under Arrest a Man Regarded With Suspicion.

Because he wore a peculiar make of slippers Nicholas Keipp of McKeesport is under arrest, charged with being a suspicious person, and detectives are trying to fasten robberies upon him. Keipp was employed for a few days at the hotel owned by Joseph Weiss, having secured a position by telling a hard luck story.

A short time ago a pocketbook containing $12.90 was taken from Mrs. Weiss' room and last Saturday morning a telephone box was found broken open. A servant told the proprietor of Keipp acting suspiciously and said he had threatened to kill her if she said anything.

On the night of the robbery a new cement floor had been laid in the barroom and the imprint of a peculiar make of slipper was found in the cement by the police. Yesterday they got Keipp to wear his slippers and had him walk over some freshly-laid cement. The impressions tallied and Keipp was arrested. He admitted having entered the barroom, but said he wanted to get a drink.

Arrest Drivers for Cruelty.

Leo Farrell, a driver for the Iron City Sand Company, and William Shannon, driver for James McKibbon, were arrested yesterday by agents of the Humane society on a charge of working horses with sore shoulders. When Farrell was called for a hearing before Alderman Kirby, John Clark, manager of the sand company, assumed the responsibility and was fined $10. Shannon will be given a hearing before Alderman Groetzinger on Saturday.

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TECH BUILDING "A" NEARS COMPLETION

About September 15 It Can Be Occupied—Schools Start October 16 Sure.

Building A, the first to be completed in the group now under construction for the Carnegie Technical schools, is now far enough advanced to make certain that it will be ready for occupation about the middle of next month. This building was to have been completed by September 1, but for certain reasons this was impossible.

As soon as building A is ready the entire force of teachers and office employes of the schools will be removed there to continue their work. Only Director Arthur A. Hamerschlag and those directly connected with his office will remain at the downtown quarters in the German National bank building. Director Hamerschlag expects to maintain offices there indefinitely on account of the large amount of business that must be transacted downtown.

The work on all parts of the home for the schools has now advanced far enough to assure, barring exceptional accidents, that all will be ready for the opening of the schools on the day already announced, October 16.

The work of securing the equipment for the schools is now in progress and a considerable quantity of furniture and apparatus has been ordered.

The appointments of the teaching staff of the schools already announced will be effective on Friday, September 1. It is possible that several more appointments will be decided upon before that time.

Operated on Four Times.

Mrs. J. A. Pierce, wife of a McKeesport attorney, who was accidentally shot while boating on a Canadian lake a month ago, was yesterday operated upon for the fourth time and her condition is critical. Mrs. Pierce is still at a hospital in Peterborough, Canada, and it is improbable that she will recover sufficiently to be removed to her home for several weeks.

Homestead's Howling Dogs Must Die.

The Homestead board of health has ordered that all dogs which howl at night or bay the moon, be killed. The action was prompted by the reporting of a case of nervous prostration due to the incessant howling of a dog.

Science Finds The Perfect Food

A Grain of Wheat Contains Every Element Necessary for the Health and Sustenance of the Human Body.

Scientists have determined that the various food elements found in wheat are the identical elements of which the tissues and cells, the bone and brain, the blood and muscle of the human body are composed and with which they must be replenished if life and strength are to be maintained.

Every nutritive element, every one of those marvelous strength and tissue-building food qualities of the best white wheat grown is found in Malta-Vita. This famous food is the whole of the wheat, thoroughly steamed and cooked in absolute purity and mixed with the finest malt extract that can be made.

You understand, of course, that the cooking and steaming of the wheat gelatinizes its starch, and then the malt extract, a powerful digestive agent, quickly converts this starch into maltose—malt sugar. Maltose is great food, and the weakest stomach digests and assimilates it without effort. Physicians recommend it and Malta-Vita is rich in it.

The malted wheat having been rolled into little flakes, is baked under such intense heat that when it comes from the great ovens every flake is crisp, brown Malta-Vita—the most delicious food in the world.

"For many years," writes Mrs. Valley C. Regan of 317 N. Church street, Rockford, Ill., "my husband has suffered from indigestion and extreme nervousness. We have been to great expense sending him to resorts where he might have the desired quiet; for the time being he would improve, but, after a few days, on returning to business, his sickness would become more troublesome than ever.

"Through a friend I bought the first package of Malta-Vita. It has been in our home ever since and will remain as long as it continues to do the good work. My husband is now in perfect health, his stomach seems strong, and his nights prove a source of rest instead of torture. He eats but little meat and pastry, and claims that the 'Vita' takes the place of both. I serve it in many different ways, and it always is tempting; far better, it leaves one feeling that he has had plenty and still not overloaded. With fruit it makes delicious desserts."

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A Short Reminder to Parents Relative to

Outfitting Their Children for School.

Off with the play cap, on with the study cap—that's the word for next week. Those in the primary courses will enroll their names in the public schools, those who are advanced to the finishing touches will soon be off to their respective colleges and seminaries.

It is a trait of school people to look their nicest on opening days, and the endeavor of this store is to help them along. We help them not only in the matter of dress, but in all practical things that go toward making school life enjoyable, especially for those who go away to finish their education. Herewith some illustration of what we have for school people:

New Hats—

For the big and little boy, the big and little girl, every autumn style that is so far ready.

In the Millinery store, third floor, West, girls' School Hats, in patent leather—such shapes as colonials and sailors, and odd shapes in the two combinations. All sorts of girlish colors, brown, red, navy, black and nile. Then we have the two-tone felt flats, sailors and odd novelties, altogether as pretty models as ever graced school girls' heads. And the most modest prices—$1.25, $2.00, $3.50 and up to $8.50.

For the Tams and the Caps of different kinds we refer you to our large collection in the Children's Hat Department alongside of that for men, in the second floor of the East store.

School Dresses—

For the young girls, 4 to 10, we have new dresses, both plain, box pleated and Russian styles. Blue, brown, blue and green, and black and white checks, at $4.75, $5.00, $5.50, $8.50.

Autumn Coats—

The new coats are ready for young ladies and for girls. There are gray coats, tan coats and coats in black and navy blue, newest effects—half and three-quarter lengths—at $9.00, $12.00, $13.50 and up to $42.00.

Raincoats—

For the school girl no companion like a good raincoat. In our department for young ladies' dress a fine collection of raincoats, both of domestic and imported cloths—gray, tan, oxford and black—sizes 14, 16, 18—from $8.50 to $35.00.

Boys' School Suits—

When the boy reports next Monday morning let him be dressed neatly. Neatness doesn't mean expensiveness. Our lines of boys' autumn and winter school suits are now ready, and for the workmanship and the grades of cloth used, the prices are very, very small, indeed.

A specialty is made of double-breasted suits for boys 8 to 16 years, for the price of $5. The pants are double both in seat and knees, extra set of buttons for coat, a big bit of the stuff for patching—though it will be some time before anything like is needed.

Other double-breasted suits at $6.00, $6.50 and $7.00.

Norfolk Suits and Russian and Sailor Suits for school boys of all ages, at $5.00 to $7.50.

Boys' Topcoats and Reefers—coverts, serges and cheviots—$5.00 to $7.50.

Boys' School Trousers, made of extra strong plain and mixed cheviots—all sizes—50c a pair.

Umbrellas—

It's important for the school girl and school boy to have a good umbrella. A good one doesn't mean an expensive umbrella. Our Umbrella Store has school umbrellas in abundance—

For little children in the kindergarten stage, umbrellas from 75c to $2.50.

For children 5 to 10 years of age, 75c to $1.50.

Colored Umbrellas for girls, neat, natural handles, $2.00.

For young ladies, black Umbrellas for $1.00 and $1.50—they're tape-edge union taffeta; all silk colored Umbrellas—blue, green, red, solid color or with border—$1.95 each.

Boys' and Girls' School Shoes—

In the matter of excellent school shoes we've prepared as never before, as we expect to shoe many more school children than ever before. All our autumn lines are complete, both for the younger set and for the big boys and girls.

Boys' box calf shoes, stout sole, blucher cut—sizes from 2½ to 7—$3.00.

Boys' patent leather shoes, new stylish last—sizes from 2½ to 7—$3.00.

Boys' box calf stout sole shoes, blucher cut, sizes 1 to 2—$2.50.

Boys' dressy new patent leather shoes—sizes 1 to 2—$3.00.

Youths' box calf shoes, stout welt sole—sizes 10½ to 13½—$2.00.

Youths' extra heavy oiled box calf shoes, blucher cut, sizes 10½ to 13½—$2.25.

Youths' patent leather shoes, neat, dressy last—sizes 10½ to 13½—$2.50.

Youths' box calf leather lined shoes—sizes 10½ to 13½—$2.50.

Girls' box calf shoes, either button or lace; natural foot last, low, flat heel. Sizes 2 to 6, widths AA to D—$3.00.

Girls' patent leather dress shoes, low three-ply heel—sizes 2 to 6, widths AA to D—$3.00.

Misses' kid shoes, button or lace, patent leather tip—sizes 11½ to 2, the price $2.00; sizes 8½ to 11, the price $1.50.

Trunks—

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Eastern Express, daily, for Philadelphia and New York. 4:55 p. m.
New York Express, daily. 7:10 p. m.
Philadelphia Mail, Washington Express, daily. 9:00 p. m.
New York Special, daily, for New York, Baltimore and Washington. 10:00 p. m.
Philadelphia Special, daily, for Philadelphia only. Sleeping cars only. 10:00 p. m.
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Akron and Cleveland	* 4:30 am	8:30 pm
Cleveland and Buffalo	* 4:30 am	* 1:40 pm
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Akron and Cleveland	* 4:30 am	* 1:40 pm
New Castle and Erie	* 4:30 am	* 1:40 pm
New Castle and Lisbon	* 4:30 am	* 1:40 pm
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Akron and Akron	* 9:00 am	*10:40 pm
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Wellsville and Salem	* 9:00 am	* 4:30 pm
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Newark and Zanesville	* 9:00 am	* 4:30 pm
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Youngstown and Ashtabula	* 9:00 am	* 4:30 pm
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Columbus and Chicago	*11:00 am	* 5:50 pm
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Jamestown and Ashtabula	*11:00 am	* 5:50 pm
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Indianapolis and Chicago	* 1:30 pm	* 9:20 pm
The St. Louis Special	* 4:00 pm	*10:00 am
Youngstown and Ashtabula	* 4:00 pm	* 1:00 am
The Pennsylvania Limited	* 4:00 pm	* 1:00 am
Wellsville and Salem	* 4:00 pm	* 1:00 am
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Cleveland, Toledo & Detroit	*12:05 pm	* 8:20 pm
Cleveland & Chautauqua	* 3:00 pm	*12:15 pm
Buffalo & Eastern Express	*12:05 pm	* 8:20 pm
Lake Chautauqua Fast Line	*12:05 pm	* 8:20 pm
Buffalo & Erie Express	* 3:00 pm	* 6:30 pm
Cleveland & Chicago Ex.	* 3:30 pm	* 8:20 pm
Boston Special	* 4:00 pm	* 4:30 am
Cleveland & Detroit "Flyer"	* 4:00 pm	* 1:00 am
Chicago Limited	* 8:15 pm	* 7:40 am
Buffalo Express	* 8:15 pm	* 4:30 pm
Cleveland Night Express	* 8:15 pm	* 7:40 am
Youngstown Accommodation	† 5:30 am	† 9:00 am
Beaver Falls Accommodation	† 8:40 am	† 5:30 pm
Beaver Falls Accommodation	† 1:30 pm	† 5:30 pm
Beaver Falls Accommodation	† 5:30 pm	† 9:00 am
New Castle Accommodation	†11:45 am	† 5:30 pm
New Castle Express	* 4:30 pm	* 7:40 am
Beaver Falls Express	* 8:15 pm	* 7:40 am
Beaver Valley Express	* 9:30 pm	* 6:30 am
Brownsville Accommodation	† 5:30 am	† 9:00 am
Brownsville & N. Geo. Ex.	* 8:00 am	* 5:00 pm
McKeesport & Brownsville	*11:50 am	*11:40 am
Brownsville & New Haven	* 1:30 pm	* 5:30 pm
Brownsville Express	* 5:15 pm	* 9:00 am
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Tuesday, August 29, 1905.

An experiment with steel ties is to be made by the St. Louis Traction Company. A test is being made in this city. The ties are made here. These tests are important, for the trolley roads are not far behind the steam railroads in their demands on our dwindling forests. The steel tie is now in successful use on steam roads and its use is increasing. This will save the forests and will not exhaust the steel supply for many years to come.

Representative Townsend promises to introduce in the new congress a bill to regulate railroad rates, containing some of the provisions of the Townsend-Esch bill that passed the house last session. He expresses his entire confidence that some bill will be passed. We should hope so. A bill should have been passed last winter. There is no abatement of the public demand for such regulation, and the proposition to merely have railroad cases advanced in the courts will not satisfy it.

An army of 1,200 teachers has gathered in Allegheny for a very useful purpose. It is the annual institute for the county teachers; that is, those who teach outside the cities. The purpose is to exchange experience and gather new ideas. These 1,200 teachers will soon take charge of thousands of boys and girls to pilot them along the path of learning. The institute is the short school preceding the long term, and the teacher that is most eager to get its lessons will not have the most unwilling young students during the winter.

Along with the bumper wheat, corn, oats and hay crops, the country is to have a big fruit crop. Peaches are abundant; pears, plums and apples are, at least, a fair average. The result of these enormous crops will be to lower the cost of living during the coming winter. In connection with the big fruit crop there has been a reduction in the price of sugar. At the same time there is work for all at high wages. The workingman's season of prosperity has come and his opportunity to fatten the account in the savings bank.

Numerous fender inventors and manufacturers are seeking information about the promised tests and opportunity to participate. All should be given an even chance. There are fenders and fenders. Some of them are good. Some are saving lives and limbs. There can be no great difficulty in identifying these, or in determining which are best adapted to the topography of Pittsburgh. One of these should be chosen, and there should be no more delay about equipping Pittsburgh cars for the protection of the public.

After hiding out over Sunday, Edwin S. Holmes, former assistant statistician of the department of agriculture, surrendered himself yesterday and gave bail for court in the sum of $10,000. In the course of the hearing the district attorney filed an affidavit containing additional information, reflecting against Holmes. It is the obvious intention on both sides to fight vigorously, and the case will be watched with intense interest because it is the first prosecution for this particular offense. This fact is proof of a more active public conscience.

President Baer of the Reading companies has announced his belief that a peaceful settlement will be made with the miners in the anthracite region. Mr. Baer is as good authority as could be had on the subject and his attitude is reassuring. He has not admitted the union will be recognized, though that is among the probabilities. It is gratifying to note that Mr. Baer is in a better humor than when he was called to Washington for conference with President Roosevelt, during the last anthracite strike, and it is gratifying to note that Reading stock has completely refuted President Baer's evil prophecy on that occasion. President Roosevelt was in the right.

Thomas F. Ryan, who made the first solution of the Equitable puzzle, is quoted on the Pacific coast as saying the society is as "sound as the Bank of England." That is stating a truth in pretty strong terms. The investigation of the Frick committee demonstrated the absolute solvency of the Equitable and the fact that it has a large surplus available for policy-holders. The question since then has been as to what organization and management will assure the best administration of the assets. Mr. Ryan has only partly solved this problem.

Fusion a Failure.

Fusion is not a success in Washington county. The Democratic county committee objects to it. Of the 103 members of that body 73 have demanded the chairman shall call a meeting to undo the work of creating a hybrid ticket. They know, of course, there is no hope for the election of a straight Democratic ticket in Washington county, but they understand, also, there is no hope for the fusion ticket. They prefer, under the circumstances, to wage a losing fight on straight principles.

It is better so. If fusion did succeed at the polls it would be a failure afterward. It is better it should fail in the first instance. Washington county has no real grievance to complain of. The Republican government it has been getting is more capable and progressive than any it could hope for under Democratic or fusion auspices. It has not been extravagant. If there were any real reason for a change in government it had better be to the Democratic party than to a "fusion." That would offer, at least, responsible party control. A fusion victory would mean release of the officials from any control and rapid depreciation in the quality of government.

The trouble in Washington county is that a number of men want office who have not been acceptable to the Republican party. They are angry. In the hope of landing they proposed a fusion movement, and were met half way by those Democrats who put a public office above principle. The result is not agreeable to the rank and file of the Democracy. The every-day Democrat cannot see how he is to derive benefit or credit from electing, or trying to elect, to office the men whom the Republicans will not elect.

Supersensitive Russia.

Russia is complaining of President Roosevelt's intervention for peace. One St. Petersburg paper has made an attack on the president, and it leaks out at Portsmouth that his insistence has offended the czar and the envoys. It is not of record that Mr. Roosevelt has asked any more of Russia than he has of Japan, in the effort to secure peace, and as far as things appear on the surface there has been no resentment among the Japanese.

Throughout the war Russia has shown a surprising supersensitiveness. It attempted violation of neutrality in many ports, apparently assuming some sort of divine right to favored treatment. St. Petersburg grew excited over the proposal of the late Secretary Hay to have the hostile zone limited, though the government there ultimately agreed to the proposition with what grace it could command. Repeatedly the Russian press fumed about American ingratitude, and President Roosevelt's invitation to the powers for another conference at The Hague was made the occasion for an exhibition of spleen. Now the aggressive efforts of the president to close the breach and bring about peace are misconstrued and misrepresented. Russian pride has to be wounded.

Under the circumstances there is nothing more that President Roosevelt can do. If Russia's back is too stiff to bend it may break, if Japan does not choose, in the interest of humanity and world peace, to make the concessions that will save it. The danger in the Russian attitude and its cherishing of a false pride that has not been sustained in the field, is that it will be less squeamish about the means of saving it. Refusing to conclude an alleged "shameful peace" there is danger it may dishonorably provoke a general war.

A Compromised Verdict.

Some of the West Virginia papers are discussing with indignant protest the verdict of the jury in the celebrated Blackshire murder case, and with some reason. The story in brief is: Mrs. Blackshire's husband was murdered. Two men were convicted of the crime and sent to prison for life. Complicity of the wife was afterward charged. At her trial the most positive witnesses against her were these two convicted felons.

The jury, it is claimed, discredited the testimony of the convicts, returning what is politely called a "compromise verdict." The term in itself has a rasping sound. There never can be compromise on proved crime. The accused is either guilty or not guilty; the West Virginia verdict of three years' imprisonment for Mrs. Blackshire is not relevant. It cannot be explained on any other lines than that of the eccentric provisions of the law that would allow such a debatable conclusion. Clearly Mrs. Blackshire was equally guilty with her alleged hired assassins, or, being innocent of the charge lodged against her in the indictment, should have been freed.

A Wreck Commission.

It is proposed to create a national commission to investigate railroad wrecks and to make recommendations looking to prevention. To be of any value such a commission would necessarily be composed of experts in railroad construction and operation and experts in the construction of railroad equipment. A commission of this sort would be expensive, and it may be doubted whether it could earn its salary.

In recent years there has been manifest a disposition on the part of railroad authorities to make exhaustive investigation of the causes of wrecks and to make the information public. There is reason to believe this disposition will become more general as railroad men become more generally convinced that full publicity and the whole truth is their best course. If this surmise be correct there will be no necessity for an expert commission to race about the country to investigate wrecks, always arriving on the scene after the evidences have been cleared away. The cause of the South Harrisburg wreck was made known at once, and steps were taken at once by the Pennsylvania railroad management to prevent a recurrence. The same is true of the wreck of the Duquesne limited on the Baltimore & Ohio nearly two years ago, and of the wreck of the Empire State express at Mentor two months ago. In this last case the mechanical weakness was a facing point switch, and the roads are busy abolishing that type. If any negligent this precaution a law can be passed to enforce reform just as well as if recommended by an expert commission. Up to the present time no good reason has been advanced for the creation of a commission, and none will be created until such reason is given.

More Prosperity Signs.

Declaration of a dividend on Republic Iron and Steel preferred stock is significant of the times. The dividend is at the rate of 7 per cent, and it is accompanied by the official assertion that it is to be maintained, the company being "financed for 30 years." This does not mean that dividends are guaranteed for that period, but that the company is in position to earn dividends when there is good business. The resumption of dividend payments at this time is evidence there is good business, there has been good business and there is a prospect for good business extending as far into the future as it is permitted to mortal eyes to see.

Republic Iron and Steel affords the same indication as United States Steel, which makes no secret of the fact that its operations this year and the orders on its books for future delivery are the best in its history. These conditions in iron and steel are significant of the general trend of trade and industry. There is no mistaking the signs. Prosperity reigns at the moment and is increasing.

An American Princess.

From certain sources, inimical, of course, to President Roosevelt, comes some very ungracious slurs on the trip of the daughter of the president to the Philippines, and the extension of her journey to Pekin to be the guest of the empress of China. Miss Roosevelt has truly had a difficult role, but so far as there is information at hand no honest critic can say aught else but that she has held her head level and shown marvelous good sense.

It would be well for the captious critics to bear in mind that she is not simply Miss Roosevelt; she represents the president in a way, and we doubt very much if he has ever had an envoy abroad who has filled that office with as much grace and skill. This is not surprising, but a pleasant comment on her bringing up.

The foolish observation that she is being transformed into a princess of the "imperialistic house of Roosevelt" is mere rubbish. She is the daughter of an American citizen, one of the best of American citizens; she is also the representative of American girlhood, its charm, attractiveness and originality. In none of these supreme qualities has she failed, and the country, irrespective of political feeling, is proud of her. She is a princess, like all girls born in this country, because every American citizen is a sovereign. Let this talk about imperialism rest with that, and be sufficient unto the cities thereof.

A Philadelphia woman is under arrest, charged with having eight husbands. It is a fair question whether Director Potter's police erased the names of seven of these from the registry list at her address.

Tom Lawson wants the people to sell all copper stocks except in his companies. Just when the price of copper is advancing, too. A good many people will "copper" the Lawson tip.

Those critics who are commenting upon the president's submarine journey will please observe the chief executive is not in the habit of going up in the air, at any rate.

Trainer Tetlow, at the Highland park zoo, has named his lion cubs Romeo and Juliet. It is not thought the couple will try to live up to their names.

Now the Taggart lawyers have begun to call each other names the public will realize that even a superlatively bad thing may be made worse.

The sun eclipse tomorrow will doubtless be the means of getting a great many people out of bed who have not seen a sunrise in ten years.

Washington county Democrats have evidently been noting the results of fusion in Allegheny county. They want none of it.

The pictures of the latest star bigamist, Witzhoff, deliver a crushing blow to the supposed good taste of the ladies.

If a Kansas editor fails to get under the lid in St. Louis on Sunday things must be pretty tight in the Mound City.

Mr. Ryan says "Equitable is as sound as the Bank of England." Yes, and more sound about it.

A good, healthy Pittsburgh fog can get up an eclipse of the sun almost any day in the year.

Japan should remember the little bird whose eyes were bigger than its stomach.

A few hen coops needing repairs might be bought cheap in Warren, Pa.

A cruel fate reserved for him
A woe that weeping raises.
He nearly froze while on his "vac,"
But now it's hot as blazes.

Nothing American About It.

There is nothing western or even American about the hold-up industry. It has been cultivated assiduously even in brilliant, gay Paris, and it is quite interesting to note the many similarities between the situation in the French capital in that respect and the present state of things in the great city of western America.—Chicago Record-Herald.

A PREACHMENT BY THE QUIET OBSERVER

On Things That Should Be Taught in School, or Out, or Somewhere.

By ERASMUS WILSON.

Now that the teachers are gathered here for their annual conference, it may be well enough to join in their shop talk.

It is conceded that some teachers know their business, and some don't, just as in every other calling or profession. This much can be said with perfect safety, but to say who's who is to invite a wrath that will take your hair off, if not your scalp.

Wouldn't it be a good thing if some great pedagogue, really and truly great, should come along and separate the goats from the sheep, as it were, leaving only natural born teachers in charge of our schools?

There isn't much hope of this great separation coming along. There are great pedagogues, and some who are really great, but up to the present time none has appeared that could successfully spot the goats in the profession.

Of instructors there are many, but of teachers there are comparatively few, for teachers, like poets and physicians, are born. It is one thing to instruct, but quite another thing to teach, to educate, to lead out the talent that is in the child.

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Teaching, like preaching, has become a sort of cult which admits only certain temperaments, barring those of the more practical, business like type. And then the cult is subdivided in one case into denominations, in the other into schools or methods.

Each denomination must have a teacher who will teach, or preach, along certain lines, which lines were laid down a long time ago by men who would not be accepted as guides or authority on any practical subject of today.

School teachers have to work along lines drawn by the powers above them, whether the powers are fit to draw lines or not.

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Instructors can well afford to have lines drawn for their guidance. In fact they prefer it so, because that relieves them of all, or nearly all, responsibility. The instructor merely tells what he is hired to tell, and lets it go at that.

Teachers are different, their mission being to develop the youthful mind to the best possible advantage. They are educators, not mere instructors or demonstrators working by rule or following the direction of those above them.

If minds were formed by rule, or shaped in definite molds, then it would be possible to shape methods to fit them. This would make the work of the instructor easy, as he would only have to determine the type of any mind and then apply the particular method suited to that particular type.

As it is now he uses the methods prescribed by his superiors, and if they don't fit the case it is no fault of his.

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"Don't shoot the piano player, he is only doing the best he knows how," said the sign above the stage of a play house in a mining camp.

Similar signs would be quite appropriate over the entrances to some schools. The teachers are doing the best they know how, but they don't know how to teach.

Some may wonder how they managed to get certificates. That is easy, for they have only to answer a certain number of questions in order to pass for a certificate. Any one who learns rapidly and has a good memory can get through whether they can teach or not.

It was once said by the dean of a medical college that the best physicians usually came from among those who stood lowest on examination, and that he had reason to believe that some born physicians were rejected and thrown out.

The same may be true of teachers.

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The prevailing system appears to be to teach according to text book and grade and not according to the cut of the pupil's mental jib, so to speak. The powers describe the condition into which the pupil shall be brought, prescribe the means by which it shall be done, and bid the teacher to proceed.

It may so happen that the teacher cannot grasp the method, or at least not comprehend it, which makes it all the worse for the pupil.

But method is the thing, so say the great educators, which may be interpreted to mean that if there are children whose minds do not conform to accepted methods they will have to be squeezed into proper shape to fit the method or develop according to their natural environment.

"More cruel than Procrustes of old,
Who to his iron bed by torture fits,
Their nobler parts, the souls of suffering wits."

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Push them along, shove them ahead, drive them, anything to get them there. This will do for getting pigs to market, but children, like mules, follow better than they can be driven.

Give children an acceptable leader and they will follow anywhere, either to the good or to the bad. Attempt to drive them and they balk and sulk, and go in every direction save the one desired.

Children are perfectly willing to be led, and ever anxious to be shown new and interesting things, and cheerfully submit to being taught how to do things, provided their teachers are capable of making the work interesting.

And, after all, isn't it more important and more effective for good, to interest the child in something practical, beautiful, useful, than to crowd it through book after book?

Anyone who is susceptible to becoming interested in proper things is not so liable to follow evil things as one who has been driven along the good and proper way until he became tired and disgusted.

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When you stop and take a good look at the average country school house you cannot help wondering why children should be expected to take an interest in it, or in the school.

And you may be pardoned if you wonder what manner of men direct the school, and what manner of person is the presiding genius.

Not a flower, not a shrub, not even healthy weeds, nor is the ground clean and clear.

And then as you pass farm houses you are apt to moralize and say as are the school house grounds so are the home grounds.

There is no manner of excuse for this in a land as rich in verdure and flowers as this.

Nor can you wonder at boys and girls leaving home and going in search of the picturesque, the entertaining and the satisfying.

The Douglas Shoe.

We doubt seriously that the declaration of the Bay State Democrats that "no other man can stand in your shoes" will induce Gov. Douglas to run again.—New York Herald.

An Ardent Hope Indorsed.

The entire nation cherishes the respectful but ardent hope that its valued chief magistrate will consent to draw the line short of the airship.—New York Sun.

DEFEATED.

I.

Because he did not dare to brave
The sneers that proud men only may
He carried sorrow to his grave
And gave his heart to slow decay:
Because he feared the jibing tongue,
To foolish men's respect he clung
And, puttering at little things,
He missed the glory greatness brings.

II.

Because she feared the scorn of those
Whose little souls were never thrilled
The cry that in her bosom rose
Unanswered, was ignobly stilled.
Because she dreaded scorn her days
Were wasted in the common ways—
Mistaking foolish fear for pride,
She put a priceless gift aside.

—Chicago Record-Herald.

BIG TIM SULLIVAN BROUGHT THEM HOME

How Tammany's Chief Dealt With Stranded Americans in London.

By FRANK A. PARKER.

[By Private Wire to The Gazette.]

NEW YORK, Aug. 28.—When Big Tim Sullivan visited London he did a good turn for a whole lot of American tourists, who probably will never appreciate the fact. Every one who has ever spent any time abroad will recall the number of "stranded Americans" who hang around the London hotels looking for people from home, who have soft spots in their hearts. Every day at least one of these "gets to" the traveler with a tale of woe that is really pitiful. If they succeed in collecting enough money for passage, they don't buy a ticket, but gather together several of their kind and go for a big dinner at one of the popular resorts.

Big Tim ran across a score of these fellows while in London, and there are just a score less in that big city. Tim wanted to hand them a piece of his roll, but a friend who was "wise" advised him to buy passage for them and deliver the tickets to them on board. He did, and the result is about a score of votes for the big fellows at the coming election. Had he given them money they would still be in London unable to vote for another election or so. Among those whose passage home was paid by the big-hearted gentleman from the flowery was George Dixon, once famous as the champion feather weight pugilist.

Girl Detective Again to the Front.

All the police have got to do is "lay low" and wait for the young woman to help them gather in the crooks. Florence Greer, cashier in a bakery, was the victim of a film-flammer. Thereby she lost $20. She didn't inform the police, because she knew that wouldn't help her. But she kept her eyes open, and last night ran across the crook on the street, followed him home, then called a policeman. This morning in police court it was discovered that her captive was Thomas White, No. 1846 in the rogues' gallery, known as the "king of film-flammers." But he would have been playing his trade yet had the girl depended upon the police to capture him.

Beggar Loaded Down With Gold.

Nathan Lipsy, an aged beggar, was this morning sentenced to another term on the island for plying his vocation. When he was arrested he was loaded down with gold. In a bag around his neck and in his pockets the police discovered more than $2,000. He crept in court and declared that he was no beggar, but he is really an old offender. It is such cases as this that causes people to refuse to give money to beggars under any circumstances, and sometimes a worthy man is passed by. But there are really more crooks than honest needy persons holding out their hands in the street.

"Give the Old Man a Shine."

A unique beggar was traveling Broadway last Saturday. While seated in a chair at the corner of Fortieth street getting a shine, an old man approached and said, "give the old man a shine; tomorrow's Sunday, you know." Glancing at his shoes, I could not see the need of a shine, so turned the cold shoulder. But keeping my eye on him, I saw him speak to three men within five minutes, and two of them "went down into their pockets." It looked very much as if the old fellow was more anxious for "nose polish" than for shoe polish.

Artists' Models Have Club of Their Own.

One of the most unique institutions in New York is the Art Workers' club in West Fifty-eighth street. It was founded in 1899, and in the seven years of its existence it has developed into one of the most valuable assets of those women who make their living as artists' models. Only women are regular members of the club, but the men are allowed to become subscribers. By paying $3 a year, artists have the call on women members of the club when in need of models. Women artists as well as models are eligible for regular membership.

Linguists Are Going Cheap.

Linguistic accomplishments are not prized very highly in Gotham, if the case of Adolph Finkelstein, a peddler, can be taken as a criterion. He was in court this morning on a charge of not having a license, and the magistrate released him. He could speak very little English, but when the court interpreter got busy he discovered the peddler could talk fluently in 13 different languages. With all this to work on the man admitted that he could only make about 35 cents a day. Magistrate Cornell promises to help him to more profitable employment.

Big Building Record in New York.

Since the first of the year permits for buildings representing a total of $158,706,000 have been filed in Manhattan, Brooklyn and the Bronx. Alterations aggregate $13,521,000. In the corresponding period of last year permits represented a valuation of $88,126,000, and alterations $11,614,000. This year beats all previous records in the building line.

Pittsburghers in New York.

The following Pittsburghers are registered at New York hotels today:

Waldorf-Astoria.
Mrs. A. J. Barr, Miss C. Barr, Miss M. Barr, W. H. Nichols, Mrs. G. N. Mashey, Miss E. Mashey, S. P. Mashey, H. H. Laughlin.

Imperial.
C. H. Williams, F. W. Ward, Miss E. Boarkmate, O. A. Sankey, M. J. Eakin, Mrs. Eakin, R. H. Lindsay, Mrs. Lindsay, G. T. Price, Mrs. Price, G. W. Lewis, Mrs. Lewis, T. Price, H. L. Kreusler, J. C. Beaver.

Holland.
Mrs. A. M. Thurston, A. Flinn, J. M. Ferguson, J. C. Thaw, W. N. Frew, Mrs. Frew, C. G. Zug, G. H. Wilsey, T. De Bobula.

St. Denis.
J. Matyasovits, Miss A. Pfoplinter, A. C. McSarmes, J. W. Knott, Miss M. P. Semple, Miss M. F. Marcum, L. L. Graham, P. Young, F. S. Hensley.

Continental.
H. A. Johnson, Miss E. M. Roberts, Miss H. R. Walter, Miss E. J. Layton, C. F. Meyer, W. A. Case.

Manhattan.
R. A. Carter, C. S. Lomax, N. Holmes.

Albert.
Miss M. K. McElroy, Mrs. E. F. McElroy, S. T. Gilbert, E. Johnson.

Fifth Avenue.
Mrs. M. E. K. Gribble, D. P. Redpath, Mrs. Redpath, G. S. Hobs, J. T. Maeder, J. S. Hays, Mrs. Hays.

Marlborough.
J. M. Milliken, C. O. D. Patterson, C. W. Simon, J. W. Yeaty, C. A. Mittinger, Gilsey, L. M. Wright.

Stuclair.
Mrs. C. McKee, Mrs. L. Lees.

New Amsterdam.
F. J. Perry, O. E. Kain.

Bartholdi.
H. A. Lyons, F. F. Roberts.

Union Square.
Mr. Moorhead, Mrs. Moorhouse, S. B. Chartiers, Mrs. Charters.

Broadway Central.
H. Hill, D. Shoop, W. G. Shoop.

Wolcott.
Miss E. Shields, Mrs. P. Shields.

Woodward.
A. R. Gilmore, S. T. Gilmore, C. W. Fisher, C. Krasser.

Hotel Astor.
J. T. Kell, Mrs. Kell, C. G. Fetzer.

Grenoble.
E. Goodman, Mrs. Goodman.

Astor House.
P. Pohl, N. J. Pohl, S. F. Barry.

Westminster.
G. A. Barclay, Mrs. Barclay, E. Noel.

Navarre.
Mrs. J. R. Williams.

Ashland.
H. F. Harrison, Mrs. Harrison.

Criterion.
H. W. Simons.

Albemarle.
H. M. Curry.

St. Andrews.
W. W. Coleman.

Bresil.
Miss M. K. McMillan.

Herald Square.
I. M. Clarke.

Cosmopolitan.
S. D. Shock.

St. George.
J. L. Considine.

Earlington.
J. W. Price.

Grand.
W. L. Church.

Victoria.
D. H. Olney, A. Josh, V. P. Damura.

SOME GOOD STORIES OF PROMINENT PEOPLE

Gossipy Chat and Anecdote of Entertaining and Instructive Character.

The late Rev. Elijah Kellogg it is said, was once fiercely opposed during one of his pastorates by an infidel in the town, who was a leader in all opposition to religion, and took much satisfaction in discovering inconsistencies in the lives of church members, and in publishing them through the neighborhood.

[For some reason he decided to remove to another part of the state. Meeting the pastor one day, he said: "Well, I suppose you know I am going to leave town, and I suppose you will be glad of it?"

"Glad of it? Why no," replied the doctor; "I shall be very sorry to lose you. You are useful to me in my work here; I hardly know how I can spare you."

The man was much taken aback, and asked, "How is that?"

"Why," rejoined the pastor, "every time a shoot gets its foot out of my fold you bark from one end of the town to the other. You are the most useful watchdog that I ever knew."—Boston Herald.

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Faith That Prevails.

Colonel William G. Buehler, at a dinner at Hot Springs, Va., said of a Philadelphia editor:

"He is a good man, an enthusiast. His paper prospers because he believes in it, because he has faith in it.

"And faith in it he has! He reminds me of the Yankee with the accurate watch.

"This Yankee, an elderly man, had a watch that for 30 or 40 years had never once gone wrong. Hence he boasted about it at all times.

"With a guest from Boston he rose one August morning to see the sun rise, and as they waited for its rising the Yankee kept consulting first his watch, which was in his right hand, and then a farmers' almanac, giving the sun's schedule, which was in his left.

"There was a long wait in the pale, yawn dawn. Then tapping his watch with his forefinger, the Yankee said:

"'If the sun ain't over that hill in a minute and a half he'll be late.'"—Buffalo Inquirer.

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Uncanny Sport.

A traveler writing from South Africa describes a baboon hunt as follows: "Very slowly we spread out round about the base of the kopje and began a crawling ascent through the thick scrub. Daylight found us drawing near the higher spurs of the kopje and the Kaffirs were busy beating. Then the sport began, and pretty uncanny it was. My first kill gave me a most uncomfortable thrill. It was horribly like picking off a man. The baboons were great big, human-looking brutes, quite capable of picking up a lamb in their hands and running off with it. (As a fact, they generally content themselves with ripping open the breast to get at the curdled milk within.) But their cries were the most horribly human thing about them, and the gestures of their waving arms. When we all met, a careful count was made. Thirty baboons had been bagged. Seven had fallen by my gun."

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Upset the Court.

A self-satisfied young lawyer came over from Ohio to represent a client of that state who was mixed up in some litigation over which the Wayne circuit court had original jurisdiction, says the Detroit Free Press.

In the course of an argument the Buckeye lawyer became tangled and the judge kindly advised him to back up and repeat with greater deliberation. Then the court let the youth down by saying: "If you do that I will be better able to follow the thread of your contention."

"Glad to accommodate you, judge," from the young man, as he recovered his confidence. "I am dealing with a very complicated point of law, and I suspected that it might be too intricate for your honor to follow at the rate I was going."

The dignity of the court was knocked out, and he joined heartily in the general laugh.

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A Sickening Sight.

"I saw a bull fight the other day that made me sick," said R. P. Williams of Kansas City to a Washington Post reporter. "I was passing through El Paso two Sundays ago, and as I had heard so often of a Mexican bull fight I concluded that I would go to Juarez, the town across the Rio Grande, on the Mexican side, and take in the show. And so I did. It was held in a massive amphitheater, built of stone. There was a big crowd, mostly Mexicans, and they kept up an infernal cheering at the moments of most atrocious cruelty. Three bulls were killed there, the matadors riding old plugs that looked as if they had not been fed for years. The matador speared the bull and the bull ripped open the old horse with its horns.

"At this there was great cheering. The matador jumped to his feet, another horse was brought in, and the show went on. I was told that the horses are sewed up after such an encounter, if they survive, and put through the same performance the following week. The bulls had no chance in the world, and all were killed, and it was a foregone conclusion from the first that the matadors would not be injured, so where was the sport? I suppose the Mexicans thus receive lessons in bravery."

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Dangers of Deceit.

Henry Clews, the New York banker, was dilating on the dangers of deceit. By way of illustration, he told of a society woman who saw in a jeweler's window a collar of pearls that she wanted. She inquired the price and was told $6,000. She gave her check for $5,000, saying that she would send her husband to see the pearls, but the jeweler was to tell him they cost only $5,000.

The storekeeper was familiar with that sort of game and agreed. The husband came to see the pearls and that evening told his wife he had bought them. His wife delightedly asked if he had brought home the collar, whereupon he replied:

"No dear, I had it sent to my mother. You know, it is her birthday tomorrow."—Brooklyn Eagle.

The Natural Sequence.

Correspondence schools of diplomacy are now expected to spring up.—New York Telegram.

IN A QUAINT VEIN.

I'd like to be a peace envoy
And get an envoy's pay;
Good gracious, how I would enjoy
Two hundred toses a day!
—Louisville Courier-Journal.

Mrs. Jackson—Wy, Parson, I knows de Bible says de meek shall inherit de earth, an' I tries to be meek as I kin!

Parson Polkemus—Dat's right, sistah! Dat's right.

Mrs. Jackson—But it'll be jest soah luck when it comes time fo' me to inherit de earth, dat dare'll be municipal ownership.—Puck.

"This is the first time you have been to prayer meeting in a long time," said the pastor of a colored congregation.

"I had to come," replied Mr. Erastus Pinkley. "I needs strenth'nin'. I've got a job whitewashin' a chicken coop an' buildin' a fence around a watermelon patch."—Washington Star.

Subbubs—I couldn't for the life of me recall what you wanted.

Mrs. Subbubs—Of course not! I told you particularly not to forget there wasn't anything.—New York Sun.

"Why am I grumpy?" demanded the undesirable adjutor, to whom she had given the cut direct. "Isn't it enough to make one grumpy to be cut by the one he loves best?"

"The limit!" exclaimed the heartless girl. "I didn't even know that you shaved yourself."—Philadelphia Press.

STORIES FOUND IN THE LOBBIES

Interesting Gossip Picked Up at Pittsburgh tSations and Hotels.

If an instance in real theatric form of the enormous passenger traffic on the local railroads is desired, one has but to spend a moment in any of the stations here. Down at the Baltimore & Ohio station, which the hotels now has far outgrown in more ways than one, one can see the baggage piled five inches high, some pieces two trunks wide and two deep, lining long on the platform outside the baggage room. Inside the gates the whole of the baggage lobby, excepting that actually needed to move the baggage about on the trucks, is crowded full of baggage. The trains come and go with great loads of passengers, and the baggage keeps going out and in, trucks load after truck load, but with no seeming lessening in bulk. The waiting rooms and lobby around the station are always crowded with passengers, hour after hour throughout the day and evening.

Union station presents a lively scene these days—and nights too. It is a noticeable fact the travel is heavier westbound than eastbound. People are just beginning to come home from their vacations. The baggage department men at Union station are also kept busier with their trunks. So near perfect has the baggage system of the route become that it is seldom that a piece of baggage is delayed or lost even in the great rush of the summer season.

Similar scenes are to be found at the Lake Erie and Wabash stations, now if the latter road is practically a new one for Pittsburgh.

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Romance Culminates With Wedding.

The pretty romance which was noted in this column a few days ago as having been brought about in a quiet way by Tom Cupid of Groton Green, who was said to have succeeded at the Hotel Hewett while Hotel Clerk John Grimes was at the desk and to have gone to the charming little telephone operator and asked for a number which was not in the book, reached the climax and evening when Mr. Grimes and Miss Maud Wagner, who was the operator, were married at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. Frank H. Hackney at 5th Ferrysville avenue, Allegheny. A few friends were present at the ceremony and a wedding supper was given afterward. Mr. and Mrs. Grimes will spend their honeymoon in the east and will live in Allegheny upon their return.

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"Nervy" Lad in Sleuths' Hands.

One of the principal attractions for patrons of the Pennsylvania system at Union station last night was the sight of a mere boy in the hands of two men. The men were Detectives A. H. Rutherford and F. Gebert of the Pennsylvania's patrol force, and the boy was Emerson Holmes, 15 years old, of 811 North Fifth street, Philadelphia. The detectives took charge of the boy, who put up a good afternoon of their right to do so, and he was soon escorted to the Central police station and word was sent to his parents in Philadelphia. It is said that the boy left Philadelphia several days ago with the intention of making his way into the world. Chicago being his desired destination just now. He had succeeded in making his way as far as Pittsburgh when he was found by the detectives on advice from Philadelphia.

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Negroes Going to Congress.

What with the convention of the Negro Business League of America in New York a few days ago, the great meeting of the Colored Knights of Pythias in Pittsburgh last week, and the Negro Congress of America going on at Detroit this week, the negro and his rights as an American citizen are being kept pretty well before the public. Several delegates to the Detroit congress passed through Pittsburgh last night and some are going from Pittsburgh. The purpose of this convention is to consider the status of the American negro with a view to bettering his condition. About 300 delegates are expected to be in attendance. Among the prominent members of the race who will take part are J. C. Dancy, recorder of deeds at Washington, D. C.; Judson Lyons, register of the treasury at Washington, D. C., and Dr. W. D. Crum, collector of customs at Charleston, S. C.

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Brothers Apart a Long Time.

After a separation of over 45 years, H. C. Dulin of Mecklenburg will visit a brother at Austin, Nev., leaving tonight for a western tour. Early in life Mr. Dulin and his brother became separated and circumstances have prevented their visiting each other. Mr. Dulin has planned an extensive western trip.

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At Pittsburgh Hotels.

Anther—Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Johns, Steubenville; F. C. Corry, Moundsville; J. C. Burger, Rural Valley; T. W. Knobel, Greenville; C. C. Hubbard, Corry.

Griswold—Ernest V. Cook, Somerset; J. C. Cameron, Meigs; Alvin Rea, Akron; Joseph Sharp, Latrobe.

Anderson—W. R. Greenlee, Butler; J. D. Parker, Zanesville.

Seventh Avenue—M. F. Wood, Washington; Thomas J. Waiton, Saltsburg; T. Ross and J. R. Lewis, Waynesburg; G. S. White, Franklin.

Duquesne—J. M. Faris, Youngstown; G. A. Williams, Clarksburg; W. A. Riddell, Sharon.

Lincoln—J. A. Robinson, Fairmont; W. M. Montague, Bellaire.

Newell—J. H. Maxwell, East Liverpool; O. G. Ash and E. D. Custer, Bradford; John T. Hawkins and H. F. Aths, Meadville.

Monongahela—T. M. Kurtz, Pennsylvania; John H. Carnahan and W. McC. Johnston, Vandergrift; Frank Caples and H. C. Babb, Youngstown; O. W. Hill, Morgantown.

Henry—S. S. Cox, Bryan, O.; Frank J. Ferle, Warren, O.; L. N. E. Kreals, Canton; T. E. Wilson, Mineral City, O.

Boyer—L. P. Geiger, Somerset; J. B. Cochrane, Elkwood City; George J. Laufin, Butler; B. B. Harrison, Sharon.

Colonial—L. D. Baker, Johnstown; Alexander Wilding, Vandergrift; William Kelly, Indiana; E. Jackson, Butler; F. E. Bubb, Youngstown.

Accepts the Issue.

The Republican party has never contemplated granting or dishonesty in any form. Some men have got into power who have not been the best public officials. There will always be men of that character. And some of them are today out of the Republican party—be it said to the credit of the party—and are now identified with a party of opposition under the guise of "reformers." Graft does not and cannot exist among honest men. If there has been grafting there must be men who are dishonest in public office. And these dishonest men should be exposed. The Republican party does not want them, and the party will use all of its power in putting them where they belong. If graft is the issue we accept. The result cannot be in doubt.—Washington Observer.

Japan's Official Integrity.

The president of Mexico is supposed to have a fortune not greater than a million. After 25 years of service this is sufficient to warrant attention. When Li Hung Chang was in this country, he was talking to the wife of a man who has many times held high office in America. "How much is your husband worth?" asked Li, according to his wont. "We are not rich," replied his hostess. Li closed one eye solemnly and changed the subject. No such talks for him; and his scepticism suggests how much more deeply seated official corruption is in China than it is even in the United States. Russia is in this regard in a class with China. In official honesty Japan has set a standard for the world.—Collier's Weekly.

Quality That Deserves to Win.

The American quality of sheer pluck under adverse circumstances was well illustrated the other day by a Kansas newspaper, which remarked editorially: "This will be a hot number. As this is written, the office is burning down." Cheerful losers are deserving winners.—Columbus Dispatch.

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FLINTWORKERS HIRE ATTORNEY

Demand That Macbeth-Evans Company's Police Guardians Be Not Paid by the City.

LARKIN AND WALLACE WARNED

If the names of the two policemen who are on duty at the Macbeth-Evans Glass Company's plant on the South Side are put on the city payroll for this month, there will be trouble. The American Flint Glassworkers' Union is on the war path, and notices have been served on all those having to do with the payroll that they must not "stick" the city with the amount of the men's wages.

This action was taken yesterday by Henry Lauer, a member of the executive committee of the glassworkers' union and also a delegate to the United Labor league. Lauer, acting on instructions received from President Rowe of the union, engaged an attorney who drew up letters and sent them to the sergeants at the South Thirteenth street and the Center avenue police stations, to Superintendent of Police Wallace and to Controller Larkin. The Macbeth-Evans plant is in the district protected by the South Thirteenth street police station, but one of the two policemen referred to is on the pay roll of the Center avenue station, although he does no work in that district. The two policemen who are on duty at the plant, one at night and one during the day, are John Faulkner and M. Mahoney.

The notices to the sergeants require them not to put the names of the two policemen on the pay rolls of their respective stations; the document forwarded to Superintendent Wallace asks him not to swear to the pay roll if it is returned to him with the two policemen marked up as having done a month's work for the city, and the letter to Controller Larkin warns him not to countersign the warrants, as he will be held responsible in case the payment of city money to policemen doing work for a private corporation is found to be illegal, for it is the purpose of the union to appeal to the courts in case no attention is paid to the notices and the men are put on the pay roll and the money is paid to them.

The union maintains that, while there is a strike on at the Macbeth-Evans glass plant, the employment of city policemen is totally unnecessary, as there has been no disorder at the works, a statement proved by the fact that no arrests have been made at the glass works since the strike began, four months ago. For three months the firm itself paid the wages for the two policemen, but for July the city paid.

If no attention is paid to these formal notices the United Labor league will take up the matter, in fact it will be brought up anyhow in the league. The fact that the director of the department of public safety, Harry Moore, is out of town, is believed to have been the reason why the United Labor league has hitherto taken no action. It wants to give the director an opportunity to be heard. Some members of the union have charged that the director himself gave orders that Faulkner and Mahoney must be put on the city pay roll.

Controller Larkin has already promised Lauer that he will not approve the police payroll in case Faulkner's and Mahoney's names are on it, until he has made a thorough investigation.

THREATENS A SENSATION.

Pittsburgher Arrested in Cincinnati Charged With Forgery Says He'll Make Fur Fly.

Edward McFarland, alias A. B. Faust, is expected to be brought to Pittsburgh today from Cincinnati, where he was arrested on a charge of forgery, made by George H. Fulton of the Fourth National bank. Fulton alleges that McFarland had cashed at the bank a check for $271, purporting to have been drawn by R. H. Vick, a South Side contractor, for whom McFarland formerly worked, and that it was a forgery.

McFarland, who says his father lives at Susquehanna street, near Albion street, has agreed to come to Pittsburgh without requisition papers. When the detective went to his cell in Cincinnati McFarland, who was known there under the name of A. B. Faust, said: "When I get back to Pittsburgh I'll make the fur fly. I'll do some talking that will create a sensation, unless somebody gets me out of this."

PLAN TO SPREAD STRIKE.

Will Call Out Printers All Over the West to Prevent Non-Union Men Going to Chicago.

CHICAGO, Aug. 28.—Having planned to raise enough funds to carry a small army of men on strike indefinitely, officers of the typographical union here today demanded signed agreements from members of the typothatae guaranteeing the eight-hour day under threat of instant strike.

By aiming to have a general strike of job printers in all the big cities near Chicago from Ohio to Missouri and Minnesota, local unionists plan to halt the importation of non-union compositors from St. Louis, Minneapolis, St. Paul, Indianapolis, Cincinnati, Cleveland and other cities where the Chicago typothetae has been advertising for men to work under "open shop" rules.

SAYRE WINS PISTOL MATCH.

New York Officer Captures First Prize at Sea Girt and a Regular Army Man Wins Second Place.

RIFLE RANGE, SEA GIRT, N. J., Aug. 28.—(Special.)—The national pistol match was won today by Lieut. L. R. Sayre, of Squadron A, New York, by a score of 237, with Lieut. J. E. Stedge of the Fourth cavalry, 236, and with Capt. C. E. Cook of Maryland and Thomas Anderton of Boston, third and fourth, at 234.

Just at dusk the national individual rifle match was ended, but on account of the electric lighting plant having broken down early in the evening the statistical officers had not, at a late hour, completed the scores and rank of the Pennsylvania contestants. The national team match begins tomorrow morning.

UNKNOWN MAN VICTIM OF HIS OWN WAGON

An unknown man, aged about 30, died last evening in an Allegheny General hospital ambulance while being conveyed from West View. It was said that he was driving a wagon and falling off, was run over by his own wagon. It was first reported that he was employed by Booth & Flinn, but this was denied last night by a representative of the firm, who called at the morgue.

Ohio Friends in Session.

SALEM, O., Aug. 28.—(Special.)—The Ohio yearly meeting of Friends opened here today and will continue sessions until Thursday. Epistles were read from the yearly meetings of Philadelphia, New York, Baltimore, Canada, Indiana and Illinois, and a committee was appointed to prepare replies. In the afternoon a meeting of the Friends' First Day School association was held.

P. & L. E.
Cheap Excursion to Denver
Fare from Pittsburgh $29.80.

Account G. A. R. Encampment, excursion tickets will be sold from all stations to Denver & Return on Aug. 29 to Sept. 3 inclusive, valid returning until Oct. 7. Through cars to Chicago.

The Pennsylvania Railroad Announces a Special Excursion to Conneaut Lake on Account of Fair and Racing Carnival on August 30th.

Special train leaves Pitcairn at 7:10 A. M., August 30th, stopping at Wilmerding, Turtle Creek, East Pittsburgh, Braddock, Swissvale, Wilkinsburg, and arriving at Conneaut Lake at 11:00 A. M., and an additional train leaves Pittsburgh at 7:47 A. M. stopping at Shadyside, Rosp and East Liberty.

Rate from Pittsburgh $1.50, and from Pitcairn $1.75 round trip. Corresponding low rates from intermediate stations. Returning special train leaves Conneaut Lake at 7:00 P. M.

Situation Seekers

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FIVE BOARDERS DESIRE TO MARRY THEIR ONE COOK

One Gets a Promise and the Four Rejected Rivals Lay a Deep Plot With Very Sorrowful Results.

Because one cook could not accept the hands of five suitors, three of the would-be bridegrooms spent last night in jail; a fourth was being sought by the police, and the fifth is still free to woo and win the lady fair.

Sam Dobrich, Mike Banda, Joseph Rebisch, Peter Dobrich and Felix Modriech are the five competitive love-makers who tried to win a cook employed at a house in Sarah street, between South Twenty-ninth and Thirtieth streets, as their own.

According to the evidence brought out at a hearing before Alderman Bleichner last night, Felix outdistanced his competitors and secured the wedding promise of the pastry architect. The four rivals then pleaded with the cook to break the contract. She was firm. Then they tried to get Felix to renig. Felix stood pat.

Yesterday afternoon Felix was passing a pile of brick on South Twenty-ninth street when the pile began to move toward him. He ran as it fell and the four rivals darted out from behind it. Constable Henry Oaks caught Felix on the run and learning the story, sought the boarding house. When he approached, the two Dobrichs jumped out of a second-story window and escaped. He arrested Banda and Rebisch and later caught Sam Dobrich. He was looking for the other plotter late last night.

EDITORS WILL MEET "M. & M." COMMITTEE

Preparations Are Making Rapidly for the Coming State Convention.

The executive committee of the Pennsylvania State Editorial association will meet this morning at the Hotel Schenley, with the committees of the Merchants and Manufacturers' association and others interested, to hear reports of the progress of the preparations for the editorial convention to be held here September 26-28.

President A. Nevin Pomeroy of the Chambersburg Repository, and Secretary H. P. Hapgood of the Bradford Star, arrived yesterday. The others to come this morning are: First Vice President F. H. Harber, Bellefonte; Second Vice President M. L. McQuown, Clearfield; Third Vice President W. J. Carson, Beaver Falls; Corresponding Secretary A. D. Gould, Eldred, Pa.; chairman of executive committee. E. B. McKee, Towanda, and members H. A. Thompson, Tyrone; Oliver D. Schock, Harrisburg, and R. T. Wiley, Elizabeth.

Tuesday, September 26, has been set aside by Manager Fred Ingersoll as "M & M. and State Editorial Day" at Luna park, and will be one of the biggest days of the year. Manager T. J. Fitzpatrick of the Pittsburgh exposition has also tendered the courtesies of the exposition to the editors.

Manager J. W. Wardrop of the M. & M. and John M. Hazlett leave tonight for Philadelphia to try to secure the promise of Mayor Weaver to address the convention. It is considered certain that the Hon. Charles Emory Smith, of the Philadelphia Press will be the speaker representing the association.

The executive committee of the Pennsylvania State Hotel association, at a meeting at the Hotel Henry last evening, changed the date of its second annual convention because of the desire of the Pittsburgh hotel proprietors to be in Pittsburgh during the Editorial convention. The hotel men were to meet in Philadelphia September 26 and 27, but will meet October 2, 3 and 4 instead.

GARBAGE PLANT WORKING.

McKeesport's Furnace Is in Good Running Order and Can Handle All Refuse.

In the McKeesport common council last night Chief of Police L. E. Rotzsch made a report on the work at the garbage furnace. He said the city plant is capable of caring for all of the refuse of the city and it is unnecessary to send any garbage to the reduction plant at West Newton. Council agreed with him.

In select council Supt. T. H. Verner of the water department presented a report detailing the cost of several important improvements to the water system which will cost about $150,000. By statistics Supt. Verner proved that McKeesport could save several thousand dollars yearly through the installation of a filtration plant and a settling basin. The improvements also included the extension of the large mains along Fifth avenue. The report was filed.

JAILS ARE OVERFLOWING.

Chicago Has No Room for More But Holdups and Murders Are Increasing.

CHICAGO, Aug. 28.—"The Bridewell is crowded to the limit of its capacity and I understand that the jail is also overcrowded. This certainly shows that the police are active in arresting criminals," said Mayor Dunne today to a deputation of West Side citizens who called on the mayor with a petition asking him to suppress murders and burglaries forthwith.

The citizens complained that burglaries and hold-ups are becoming more numerous and that murders are occurring frequently on the streets, and they asked if some stringent measures cannot be taken to suppress the tendency toward crime.

Grand Army Band Tonight.

The regular weekly band concert in West park, Allegheny, will be given tonight by the Grand Army band, under the direction of Frank A. Panella. A program of popular music has been arranged and the event will be made more attractive by the appearance as soloists of Fred Sinn, trombone, and D. K. Borland, cornet. This will probably be the last concert of the summer season in Allegheny given by the Grand Army band, as they leave for Denver on September 1 to be gone for 15 days.

Awaiting Extradition Papers.

Detectives Patrick Gallery and Peter A. Conroy of Chicago arrived here yesterday in quest of Jacob Levy, Harry Levy and Samuel Brown, who are serving time here as suspicious characters, and who are wanted in Chicago on a charge of larceny. They are accused of snatching a pocketbook containing $700 in jewelry from a woman in a Chicago department store. The detectives are awaiting extradition papers from Gov. Pennypacker, which are expected to arrive this morning.

Arrest Alleged Club Proprietor.

County Detective Harry Merrit arrested James Webster, colored, one of the alleged proprietors of the Washington club in Fulton street, in Wylie avenue last night. The club was raided several days ago on information made by Frederick Crawford, colored, who said he gambled there and was robbed. Webster will get a hearing before Alderman Anderson this afternoon.

Wants Police to Find Girl.

Elizabeth Snyder, aged 18, of 3824 Penn avenue, left home on August 19 and has not been heard from since. Last night her father, William Snyder, asked the police to look her up. He said he knew of no reason for her leaving home.

Burning At Stake Was Genuine Thing

William Wayman, aged 15, of 142 Wabash avenue, West End, faced last evening in Alderman E. C. Vierheller's office a charge of being the main promoter of a "burning at the stake" in which the victim was really badly burned. The allegation was that Wayman and several companions built a bonfire in Afton way one evening last week, and it looked so good to them that they decided to emulate the Sioux still further. Four-year-old James Wigmore of 54 Independence street happened to pass and they made him the victim. It resulted in his being severely burned on the feet and left leg. The alderman adjourned the hearing until Monday to allow more witnesses to be gathered by the prosecution.

REPUBLIC TO RESUME QUARTERLY DIVIDENDS

Directors Agree to Make Regular Payments on Preferred Stock of Record Sept. 21.

[By Associated Press to The Gazette.]

CHICAGO, Aug. 28.—Directors of the Republic Iron & Steel Company at the meeting today decided to resume the payment of the regular quarterly dividends on the preferred stock. A dividend of 1¾ per cent was declared, payable October 2 to stockholders of record September 21. The books of the company will close at 3 p. m. on that date and reopen 10 a. m., October 19, which will be the day following the annual meeting of the stockholders.

It was stated by a representative of the company that the corporation is financed for a period of 30 years, and the resumption of the dividends on the preferred stock by the directors was on the assurance that it would be permanent. There will be no declaration of the back dividends to cover the period since the last payment.

Dividends on the preferred at the rate of 7 per cent a year, payable quarterly, were paid regularly from October 1, 1899, to October 1, 1903. At the annual meeting the vacancy on the board caused by the death of Peter L. Kimberly will probably be filled. The terms of the following directors expire in 1905: John Crerar, John W. Gates, William H. Hassinger, Grant B. Schley and George R. Sheldon.

ARCHBISHOP HAS BUSY DAY.

Polish Catholic Prelate Visits His Countrymen in McKeesport and the South Side.

Archbishop Alvines Symon, who is making a tour of the Polish Catholic parishes of the United States, spent a busy day visiting Polish Catholic churches in this section yesterday. During the day he visited the Polish Catholics in McKeesport, and last night was the celebrant at benediction in St. Josephat's church in Mission street, South Side. Several Polish societies met the archbishop at the western end of Mission street and escorted him to the rectory of the Rev. Father Francis Baczewski, pastor of St. Josephat's church.

Archbishop Symon was assisted during the celebration of benediction by the Rev. Father Gergynski of McKeesport and the Rev. Father Tomasyewski of the St. Stanislaus church. After making an address the archbishop gave the people the papal blessing. Today he will be shown through the Homestead steel works and this evening he will deliver an address in St. Adelbert's Polish Catholic church in South Fifteenth street.

Germans Surprise Insurgents.

BERLIN, Aug. 28.—A detachment of marines and sailors from the German cruiser Bussard surprised about 1,000 insurgent natives, half of whom were armed with rifles, near Kowoni, German East Africa, August 25. The Germans killed 73 of the insurgents and drove many others into the river Rifiji, where they were drowned. No German casualties have been reported.

Telephone Wires Stolen.

Louis Rosenberg and Munroe Henry were held for court in $1,000 bail each yesterday by Alderman Louis Alpern on a charge of larceny preferred by J. W. Boeggeman, auditor of the Central District and Printing Telegraph Company. The men are accused of stealing 300 feet of wire from a point along the Beaver road between Dixmont and Emsworth.

Loses Wife and $105.

Stany Babosky of 2602 Mulberry street asked the Lawrenceville police to help find his wife last night. Babosky, who is 27 years old, married an 18-year-old girl two weeks ago. When he went home last night she was gone. So was $105 which had been locked in a trunk.

Rack Crushes a Carpenter.

Cornelius E. Osterhaut of Halket avenue, Braddock, a carpenter employed at the Westinghouse plant in East Pittsburgh, was badly injured yesterday about the abdomen and legs. While helping to move heavy racks one of them fell upon him.

FENDER CRUSADE AT STANDSTILL

Board of Trade Again Postpones Mandamus Against Director Moore.

ATTORNEYS NOT EMPLOYED

Officials of the Pittsburgh board of trade continue to talk about street car fenders, but apparently do nothing more than talk. The declaration of President Harman, and other officers, that something would be done, and done at once, to rescue the organization from the charge of bluffing, has availed nothing. The directors of the board of trade met last night and again decided to postpone any legal action to compel the administration to do its duty and enforce the fender ordinance.

After the meeting it was officially announced the directors had agreed to delay action until after another fender test, which is promised to take place on September 5, a week from today.

A few days ago President Harman asserted that a mandamus would be filed in court against Director Moore at once, or else the matter would be dropped. To all appearances it has been dropped. While there has been talk of the board employing the firm of Weil & Thorp and other attorneys to prosecute the case against Director Moore, it is a fact that these attorneys have not been retained and no provision was made last night by the directors to retain them or any other lawyers, although Secretary Lobingier, after the meeting, insisted still that the suit against Director Moore would be brought if the director does not approve a fender next week.

"The test will take place on September 5, and we will give Director Moore that day and the next to approve a fender," said Mr. Lobingier. "If he does not approve a fender before September 7, two days after the test, the mandamus will be filed on that date. We discussed the matter for a few minutes only tonight. I am in favor of filing the mandamus now, but I am only one director out of 15."

Secretary Lobingier said he had heard that about 10 fenders were to be tested next week, although he had no authority for the statement. No provision has been made to have the Lev fender tried, although it is in use in many cities and has been effective in saving life. The inventor of the Lev fender sought to have the fender tested in Pittsburgh before and wanted to demonstrate its value by standing in the track and allowing a car to pick him up. Supt. Murphy of the Pittsburgh Railways Company, refused to allow him to make this test and threatened to have him arrested if he attempted it.

KIRKER A CANDIDATE FOR PROTHONOTARY

Will Ask the Republicans of the County to Give Him the Nomination.

William B. Kirker will be a candidate for the Republican nomination for prothonotary. He made the formal announcement yesterday and deposited $500 with Chairman T. J. Ford. Judge James S. Young also paid his announcement fee.

Mr. Kirker is the present prothonotary, holding the office by appointment of Gov. S. W. Pennypacker. He was named to succeed Prothonotary J. B. Hamilton, who died in October, 1904. Mr. Kirker has filled every clerkship in the office and is familiar with the work. He is not likely to have any opposition for the nomination.

Fred W. Edwards returned to the city yesterday after an absence of a month. He is not prepared to say whether he will be a candidate for the Republican nomination for register.

SIGNS BONDS FOR $910,000.

Certificates for Almost Million Keep Controller Brown Busy.

Controller James Brown of Allegheny returned to his office yesterday after an illness of almost a week. He spent almost the entire day placing his signature upon 4 per cent bonds, aggregating $910,000. The bonds were received from the printers in Philadelphia several days ago, and will be delivered today to the Pittsburgh Trust Company, who purchased them for $955,000, a premium of $45,000. Of the total amount $420,000 are street improvement funding bonds, $125,000 grade crossing bonds, $225,000 water bonds, $90,000 park bonds for improvements at Riverview park; $25,000 public safety bonds, and $25,000 charities department bonds for the erection of porches at the city poor farm. The bonds were signed several days ago by Mayor Wyman.

Float the Rainbow.

MANILA, Aug. 28.—The American cruiser Rainbow was successfully floated today. The cruiser Rainbow, the flagship of the Philippine cruiser squadron, with Rear Admiral Retter on board, went ashore on August 25 at the mouth of the Agusan river, Butuan bay, in North Mindanao.

Timber Sale Is Held Up.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 28.—On account of representations from Minnesota the secretary of the interior has again postponed the time for receiving proposals for the sale of the timber on the White Earth Indian reservation, finally fixing November 15 as the time.

Biscuit Company Increases Stock.

TRENTON, N. J., Aug. 28.—The North American Biscuit Company today filed a certificate with the secretary of state increasing its capital stock from $4,500,000 to $9,000,000, of which $3,000,000 is preferred stock and $6,000,000 is common. J. L. Loose is president of the company and John H. Wiles is secretary.

Pennsylvanian Dies in Manila.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 28.—The military secretary has been notified of the death from septicaemia of Lieut.-Col. William H. Baldwin, deputy commissary general, which occurred at Manila, P. I., August 28, 1905. Lieut.-Col. Baldwin was a native of Pennsylvania and had been on duty in the Philippines since February 25, 1903.

HOW TO FIND OUT.

Fill a bottle or common glass with your water and let it stand twenty-four hours; a sediment or settling indicates an unhealthy condition of the kidneys; if it stains the linen it is evidence of kidney trouble; too frequent desire to pass it, or pain in the back is also convincing proof that the kidneys and bladder are out of order.

WHAT TO DO

There is comfort in the knowledge so often expressed that Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-Root, the great kidney remedy, fulfills every wish in curing rheumatism, pain in the back, kidneys, liver, bladder and every part of the urinary passage. It corrects inability to hold water and scalding pain in passing it, or bad effects following use of liquor, wine or beer, and overcomes that unpleasant necessity of being compelled to go often during the day, and to get up many times during the night. The mild and the extraordinary effect of Swamp-Root is soon realized. It stands the highest for its wonderful cures of the most distressing cases. If you need a medicine you should have the best. Sold by druggists in fifty-cent and one-dollar sizes.

You may have a sample bottle of Swamp-Root, the great kidney remedy, and a book that tells all about it, both sent absolutely free by mail. Address, Dr. Kilmer & Co., Binghamton, N. Y. When writing be sure to mention that you read this generous offer in the Pittsburgh Daily Gazette. Don't make any mistake, but remember the name, Swamp-Root, Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-Root, and the address, Binghamton, N. Y., on every bottle.

DOMESTIC TURMOIL IN THE SQHO DISTRICT ATTRACTS LARGE CROWD

Officer Wildam Bertram started for the residence of Andrew White, 2402 Forbes street, last night, armed with a warrant sworn out by Andrew, charging his wife, Mary, with disorderly conduct. As the officer neared the square in which the house is located he became aware that something was amiss. People were running from all directions, and all seemed bound for the same point, which proved to be the street in front of the home of the Whites.

The officer found Andrew and his wife engaged in a lively scuffle. Mrs. White is a large-boned woman and she was making things interesting for Andrew, who is a foot shorter, by trying to utilize him as a door mat. Officer Bertram finally succeeded in prying the pair apart, placed them under arrest and called the patrol.

When lined up before the desk sergeant at No. 4 police station for the recording of their names, Mrs. White exclaimed, "Husband and wife," in very sarcastic tones; then added, "I'll beat him up right here if you'll give me half a chance," at the same time shaking her fist at the retreating form of her spouse. Then the cell door clanged.

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This Week Grand Final Sacrifice of Oxfords

A wonderful opportunity to secure Oxfords for balance of this and next season's wear at about Half Price.

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Buys Men's and Women's $2.50, $3.00 and $3.50

Oxfords now, in Patent Colt, Vici Kid and Tan Leathers, that will be just as good for next season. All sizes and all weights of sole are included.

It's your last chance to secure such bargains, and the saving is well worth your making.

Boys' and Girls' School Shoes

The kind that look and wear good—

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Quick, reliable service and low rates is rapidly pushing the P. & A. to the front—

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A healthful and invigorating summer beverage.

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Extra quality fish in pure Olive Oil.

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22-Karat Gold Crown or Bridge Work $4.00
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IS THE BEST for Repairing Broken Articles. Mends china, glass, Billiard Cues, 15c. Major's Leather and Rubber Cement same price.

B. & B.

sale

Started, yesterday, to do a lot of extra business—and it's doing it.

Nothing ever like it for the money.

We want you to come—but if too far away—and can't—send.

Sale—3 colors, 60c All-Wool Silk Striped Challis.

Pink, All-Wool Silk Striped Challis,
Old Rose, All-Wool Silk Striped Challis,
Plain Black, Silk Striped Challis,

At 25c.

silks

Something desirable—and at an unusual price.

Black and White, Navy and White, Brown and White Checked Taffeta silks at **45c.**

Two size checks in each of the colorings.

fall waists

Every woman reader of this public notice is hereby notified that today they can see at this store the most pretentious showing of stylish new Fall Waists ever attempted so early in the season.

New White Mohair Waists, new White Linen Waists, new White Lace Waists, new Silk Waists, new White Lawn Waists, new White Wool and Cotton Batiste Waists, etc.—all made after the most carefully selected models submitted for the season's stylish wear.

White Mohair Waists, tucked and pleated fronts, tucked collars and cuffs, $1.50.

White Linen Waists, lace trimmed and hand-embroidered, $5.00 and $6.00.

Wool Batiste Waists—tailor stitched—fancy tucked yoke front, tucked back—also front pleat and collar trimmed with silk ornaments—White, Black, Red, Navy, Reseda, $2.50—pretty and practical.

Wool Batiste Waists, $2.50 to $12.50.

New Golf Blouses for girls going away to school—all the very newest and most fetching styles—V-shaped neck, leg-o'-mutton (new) sleeves—White, Red, Green and Black, $1.50, $2.50, $3.50, $4.50 and $5.00.

Prices that will win the store new business.

White Lawn Waists for the warmer days of fall, 50c to $35.00—new styles in cut and trimming.

If you are not ready to buy—come anyhow and spend a pleasant hour seeing these pretty new Waists—priced so low.

notions

Lots we want to dispose of and it's to be done by selling them below regular prices.

15c horn Hair Pins, 10c a box of six—straight, loop and crimped.
10 gross of 15c horn Hair Pins, 10c a dozen.
Two packages of Taylor's invisible Hair Pins for 5c
25c and 50c white Side and Back Combs, 10c.
25c shell and amber Side and Back Combs, 15c.
Lot 35c and 50c Side and Back Combs, 25c
Large assortments and special values in Dressing Combs, 15c to $1.50—rubber, celluloid and horn.

leather belts

One of the latest styles is the Conformity Belt, 25c, 50c, 75c—patent leather, kid, seal and undressed patent leather—colors, black, white, grey, dark blue, red, rose, green.

Women's soft Crush Belts—all stylish new styles—narrow and wide, 50c to $2.50—all colors.

Closing out a counter of odd size and odd style Belts—50c, 75c and $1.00 ones, 25c—85c to $1.25 ones, 35c—$1.00 and $1.50 ones, 50c—$1.50 to $2.00 ones, $1.00

Children's red and black patent leather Belts—30 to 36 inches, 25c and 50c—Belts very suitable for school wear—for coats and Russian dresses.

Children's Kid Belts—white, pink and light blue, 50c.

Opening New Silks, Dress Goods and Suitings daily.
Stylish New Imported Plaids for children's wear.

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AMUSEMENTS.

NIXON Popular 25c Mat. Wednesday. Regular Matinee Saturday. LAST WEEK **SIMPLE SIMON SIMPLE** Best Seats 25c, 50c, 75c, $1.00 and $1.50. NEXT WEEK Henry W. Savage Offers for a Return Engagement THE KOREAN COMIC OPERA, **THE SHO-GUN** By GEORGE ADE and GUSTAV LUDERS. Pretty, Witty and Tuneful. Brilliant Cast. Beautiful Chorus. Magnificent Production. SEATS THURSDAY.

AMUSEMENTS.

ALVIN Special Price Mats. Tues., Thurs., Sat. Best Reserved Seats, 25c & 50c. THIS WEEK GEORGE EVANS In the New York Casino Success **THE RUNAWAYS.** Next Week, Mat. M. Wills in Duke of Duluth.

Bijou Matinees Mon., Wed. and Sat. Best Seats $1c, and 25c. This Week JOE WELCH IN THE PEDDLER NEXT WEEK—"King of the Opium Ring"

GAYETY—Every Afternoon, Every Evening. **ROSE SYDELL'S LONDON BELLES** 10th Exposed at Every Performance. Next Week—THE FAMOUS DON TOMS.

EMPIRE THEATER. Ed Town, Gallier Aye Reached By All Car Lines. This Week: **THE WHITE CAPS** A Matinee Wednesday and Saturday. NEXT WEEK—A WIFE'S SECRET.

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RETIRING PASTOR STARTLES ELDERS

Presents Sunday School Scholar With Cross on Which Cardinal Bestowed Blessing.

BREAKS DOWN BARS OF CREED

THE PITTSBURGH GAZETTE BUREAU, Room 10, Postal Building, WASHINGTON, Aug. 28.

By seeking an obtaining the blessing of Cardinal Gibbons upon a cross to be presented to Miss Marie Smith, a bright pupil of the Sunday school of the Washington Heights Presbyterian church, the Rev. E. Lawrence Hunt, pastor of that church, startled some of his congregation yesterday, particularly the elders. It was Mr. Hunt's farewell service, as his resignation takes effect September 1. At the conclusion of his sermon he said to Miss Smith:

"Two years ago you won a Bible for learning the catechism and that in the short space of one month. I told you then from this pulpit what displeased some—that as you had been baptized in the Roman Catholic church, your mother's church, I hoped you would in due time be confirmed in that church. I am glad to know that you have been and that you are faithful in your attendance there.

"I told you the word of God was better than our catechism and that when you had got the gospel of St. John by heart I would give you a cross like the one I wear on my watch chain. Though you have not completed it this is my last Sabbath here and I am glad to give it to you now. I know you will be gloriously joyful at what I am going to tell you, but I fear I may startle some who think that only Presbyterians or only Protestants will go to heaven. Yet I cannot startle them as much as Jesus angered some elders in his day.

"I saw Cardinal Gibbons last week and told him all the facts in this matter and his eminence graciously promised that if I would send him the cross he would bless it. I did so. This will have an added sacredness and value to you as a faithful child of that church because it has a cardinal's blessing. In my judgment, too, as a Protestant minister, his blessing means much to you personally. From my point of view it means that a great, good man is interested in you and he prayed for you."

SON FOLLOWS THE MAN WHO DESTROYS HOME

How the Mystery of Postoffice Thieves' Escape Is Clearing Up for Officers.

[SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE GAZETTE.]

LACROSSE, WIS., Aug. 28.—Love, an elopement, an irate son looking for revenge upon the man who had ruined his mother and his father's family—these, it now develops, are the causes that led to the arrest of Turnkey Merch Childers of the LaCrosse county jail late Saturday night, charged with voluntarily permitting the escape of Andrew Cunningham and Homer E. Trainor from the jail on August 1 and August 5 respectively.

The St. Paul son's information given the secret service through Postoffice Inspector Frazier led to the clues leading up to the arrest. Childers occupies the cell formerly assigned to Trainor. The men who escaped are members of the Fay gang, the most desperate gang of postoffice robbers which ever worried the postal authorities. Fay was arrested a few months ago, but escaped from the Jancsville jail through a present, it is said, of $20,000. The gang has committed 100 postoffice robberies in the past year and 10 in Wisconsin alone since the escape of the LaCrosse prisoners.

The woman in the case paid $400 for the freedom of the two, according to the story of the son.

Trainor and his pals dropped into Clarksburg, W. Va., one day some years ago and into the hotel and saloon owned by his father. Trainor first met the boy's mother that day, and although they had no money, prevailed upon the father to allow the band to stay there in return for some cheap jewelry that doubtless had been stolen. The mother fell desperately in love with Trainor. After a time a daring robbery was committed and Trainor fled. With him went the wife and mother. She has been with him ever since. The son has followed, determined to "get" Trainor, legally if possible, by the use of a revolver if that course is necessary.

New Bank Project at New Castle.

NEW CASTLE, PA., Aug. 28.—(Special.)—A. Green, foreign exchange clerk of the New Castle Savings & Trust Company, is helping to finance a new bank, which it is proposed to start at Lowellsville, O., with a capital of $100,000. Youngstown, Lowellsville and New Castle men are interested in the project.

The Death Roll.

Dr. H. H. Hawn.

YOUNGSTOWN, O., Aug. 28.—(Special.)—After months of suffering Dr. H. H. Hawn, one of the best known physicians here, died this morning at his home in Oak street. Dr. Hawn was born at Georgetown, Columbiana county, in 1848. He moved to North Lima with his parents and was a student at the Poland academy, being a classmate of the late William McKinley. He was graduated from the University of Michigan, both from the university and from the medical school. After practicing in North Lima for a short time he went to Cincinnati and then removed to this city in 1889. He was a member of the Mahoning County Medical association, and also of the National and State Medical associations. He served two terms as coroner of Mahoning county, and was a member of the staff of the Youngstown city hospital. He was a Mason. He leaves his widow and two sons, F. R. and C. B. Hawn. He also leaves two brothers and three sisters.

Mrs. Frances C. Milligan.

Mrs. Frances C. Milligan, aged 95, widow of James Milligan, died yesterday at the home of her daughter, Miss Eliza Milligan, 324 Penn avenue, from old age. Mrs. Milligan was born at Mt. Forest, County Tyrone, Ireland, and has been a resident of this city since 1845. She and her late husband celebrated their golden wedding anniversary 16 years ago. She was a member of the First Presbyterian church, Allegheny, and took great interest in church work. She leaves the following children: Miss Eliza Milligan, at home; Mrs. J. B. Koehne of New London, N. H.; J. G. Milligan of Seattle, Wash., and Samuel C. Milligan of Nome, Alaska.

Mrs. William C. Wright.

Mrs. Caroline C. Wright, wife of William C. Wright, died Sunday night at the home of her brother-in-law, C. E. Hartupee, 323 Aiken avenue. She was born in Pittsburgh and was a member of the Shadyside United Presbyterian church. She leaves her husband and one son, W. C. Wright, Jr., formerly a newspaper man of Pittsburgh, but now of New York.

Obituary Notes.

Mrs. Mary A. Poe, widow of Capt. Jacob Poe of the famous family of Indian fighters, died at her home in Georgetown Sunday. She was 90 years old.

Mrs. Catherine Metz, aged 26, wife of Clement Metz, died Sunday night at the home of her father-in-law, John Metz, 219 Ridge street, Esplen. She was a member of the McKees Rocks Methodist Episcopal church.

MONONGAHELA, PA., Aug. 28.—(Special.)—Mrs. Rhoda Ann Farquhar is dead at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Jennie Colvin at Hazelkirk, aged 75 years. She is survived by four children: V. O. Farquhar of Pittsburgh, Thomas C. Farquhar of the Monongahela City Trust Company, Mrs. Jay Colvin of this city, and Mrs. Jennie Colvin of Hazelkirk. Mrs. Clyde R. Meredith is dead at her home here, aged 50 years. Besides her husband, she is survived by one son, 3 years old, and a little daughter a few days old.

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NEWS OF THE NEARBY TOWNS AND COUNTRY

BOYS USE DRASTIC MEANS TO SECURE AID FOR CHUM.

Young Man Severely Injured by a Swing Is Without Medical Attendance for Some Time.

[SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE GAZETTE.]

BETHLEHEM, PA., Aug. 28.—A swing on which John Sharkey, aged 19 years, was swinging at Central park, Rittersville, struck a tree and Sharkey was thrown to the ground and his skull was fractured. The lad's companions picked him up for dead and carried him half a mile to a doctor who refused to treat the injured boy, it is said, unless he was paid.

The boys took up a collection amounting to 50 cents and then the doctor treated him. Then young Sharkey's chums carried their unconscious burden a considerable distance to the trolley, but several cars passed without heeding their signal. The boys became desperate and forced their way in the next one that came along. When the conductor demanded a car fare for the senseless lad, the boys said that they had given all their money to the doctor.

Upon the conductor threatening to stop the car some one hit him a blow which sent him reeling off the car. Then, it is said, several of the lads surrounded the motorman and forced him to run the car to this place where an ambulance was telephoned for and the injured boy taken to St. Luke's hospital. Late tonight young Sharkey was still unconscious and his condition was declared critical.

CUTTING AFFRAY ON TRAIN.

Negro Excursion from Pittsburgh Is Furnished With Excitement—Negro Cut Over Jugular Vein.

NEW CASTLE, PA., Aug. 28.—(Special.)—Lee Griffith, colored, of 409 Collins avenue, Pittsburgh, lies in a hospital in this city with a dangerous cut over his jugular vein and Ebbie Booth, also colored, of No. 2 Sargent alley, Pittsburgh, the man who did the cutting, is in the lockup here charged with felonious cutting. The cutting occurred on a picnic train which was returning from Conneaut lake, and is said to have resulted from the jealousy of Booth.

Griffith had escorted Mayme White, also colored, of rear of 343 Collins avenue, Pittsburgh, to the picnic. Booth was formerly an admirer of Miss White and claims to have given her a gold ring. Seeing her at the picnic with Griffith he became jealous and is said to have struck her over the head with a basket. Griffith resented this action and a fight between him and Booth followed.

PEACE JUSTICE DOZES, PRISONERS ESCAPE

FAIRMONT, W. VA., Aug. 28.—(Special.)—Charles Korp and Fred Mathews were being heard this morning on a charge of assault and battery before Justice of the Peace Tootsman at Rivesville, when the two prisoners walked out of the room and escaped. A telephone message to this city caused their arrest here. It is said that the pair were standing where Justice Toothman only could see them easily and that the justice dozed while the testimony was being given. The men watched their chance and when the justice's eyes closed, slipped out.

FIND GOLD IN PAYING QUANTITIES IN OHIO

STEUBENVILLE, O., Aug. 28.—(Special.)—Excitement was caused today by the announcement that gold in paying quantities had been found on the Mansfield farm near Cadiz Junction. Prospectors, who were formerly western gold miners, have been working at the place for weeks, and today they gave out that they had struck a pay streak. Armed guards have been stationed about the shaft which the prospectors had dug. Hundreds of curious people visited the spot today. The more conservative ones doubt the statement that there is gold enough to pay for mining.

HABEAS CORPUS SUIT TO RECOVER CHILD

COSHOCTON, O., Aug. 28.—(Special.)—Postmaster Judson Case of Jeannette, Pa., began a suit in habeas corpus here today to recover 11-year-old Etta Garl, whom he took from his niece, Minnie Garl, in 1899 through a written contract awarding him the child until of age if he would take care of her. Mrs. Garl afterward married Thomas Belden and the child came here to visit them in July and they will not give her up. Case avers he is worth $25,000 and that he will make the girl his heir. He is a bachelor.

Sues Railroad for Large Sum.

IRWIN, PA., Aug. 28.—(Special.)—Mrs. Minnie Webster, now living in Cleveland, has brought suit against the Pennsylvania Railroad Company for $10,000 damages following the accidental death of her husband under a train's wheels several months ago. Webster was a railroad detective and was sent here to run down a gang of freight car thieves. While watching about the yards he was struck by a fast train.

Refuses to Call Meeting.

WASHINGTON, PA., Aug. 28.—(Special.)—In response to the petition of 73 of the 103 members of the Washington county Democratic committee asking for a meeting of the committee to fill out the Democratic ticket, Chairman J. Carter Judson notified T. Flem Birch, attorney, for the petitioners, that he would not call a meeting of the committee. The question will now be taken to the courts for adjustment.

Sabbath School Convention.

CONNELLSVILLE, PA., Aug. 28.—(Special.)—The annual convention of the Sabbath School association of Fayette county began here this afternoon in the First Methodist Episcopal church, with over 200 delegates present. At 4 o'clock the convention divided into three sections or conferences, for the purpose of discussing different subjects. The convention will continue in session until tomorrow night.

Editor Leaves Large Estate.

NEW CASTLE, PA., Aug. 28.—(Special.)—An estate of $17,000 has been left by the late George W. Shaw, for many years editor of the New Castle News, whose death occurred suddenly five weeks ago. The greater part of this is in cash upon deposit at three local banks. The entire estate goes to his sisters, Miss Ellen Shaw of the Pittsburgh pension bureau and Miss Mary Shaw of this city.

Narrow Escape from Flames.

STEUBENVILLE, O., Aug. 28.—(Special.)—A fire which started at Dillonvale at 3 o'clock this morning destroyed the residences of Mary Gerard and Joseph DeFrain, with all their contents, and the tin shop of R. C. Hinkle, Hinkle, who lived in rooms above the tin shop, escaped in his night clothes and was seriously burned.

CELEBRATE GOLDEN WEDDING.

Interesting Event for Well-Known German Couple of Allegheny.

Henry Hinkel and wife, Katherine Goeller Hinkel, last night celebrated their golden wedding anniversary at their home, 22 East street, Allegheny. There were present six children, 23 grandchildren and over 100 friends of the old couple.

Mr. Hinkel was born in Heinzhen, Germany, in 1829, and came to this country in 1853, settling in Allegheny, where he followed the trade of cooper, later establishing a business of his own. His wife, Katherine Goeller, was born in Blaufenden, Germany, and came to Allegheny in 1854.

A year later the couple were married by the late Rev. Karl Weitershausen, rector of the St. Paul's Evangelical church, Allegheny. Of the 10 children born of the union, four sons and two daughters survive.

Son Identifies Father.

The body of Philip H. Logan, who was found dead in bed at his home, 207 Anderson street, Allegheny, Sunday night, was identified at the morgue last night by his son, Andrew B. Logan of Oil City. Logan was aged 74 and a retired engineer. The body was taken to Oil City.

The Pennsylvania Railroad Will Run the Last Seashore Excursion on September 7th.
Rate $10.00 round trip. Tickets good sixteen days.

Celebrate 50th Marriage Milestone

MR. AND MRS. WASHINGTON M'CONNELL.

NEW CASTLE, PA., Aug. 28.—(Special.)—The golden wedding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. Washington McConnell, prominent residents of this county, was observed at their home in Washington township, when more than 100 relatives and friends gathered to do honor to the aged couple. They were married August 26, 1855, upon the very farm where they have spent their half century of married life. The bride of 50 years ago was Miss Martha Pyle, daughter of Dr. Pyle, one of the early physicians of this locality. Her brother, Henry Pyle of New Galilee, and Squire Cornelius McConnell, brother of the aged groom, who had attended the wedding 50 years ago, were both present at the golden anniversary.

The Rev. R. C. Stewart, pastor of the Rich Hill church, on behalf of the assembled guests, presented Mr. and Mrs. McConnell with a purse of gold and many other valuable presents. Attorney Charles G. Martin of this city responded for Mr. and Mrs. McConnell. The couple have three children living: Sylvester and Milton McConnell, and Mary, who is married and resides not far from the McConnell homestead.

TRAFFIC IN WHITE SLAVES.

Two Girls Found at Lancaster Compelled to Suffer Many Indignities at Hands of Italian.

LANCASTER, PA., Aug. 28.—(Special.)—Through the efforts of Mgr. Sheppard, vicar general of the Newark, N. J., diocese of the Catholic church, a revolting case of white slave traffic was unearthed here today by the police. Several days ago the authorities were notified from Jersey City to be on the lookout for Frank Petto, an Italian, who had with him Florence Rose and Annie Dillon, girls of 16 years of age. The man was located in bed in a local hotel and the girls were picked up on the street.

The girls stated that under threats of instant death they were compelled to visit shanties occupied by Italians employed on the Pennsylvania railroad improvements in this county. They were subjected to many indignities and Petto kept the revenue derived from his human chattels. When found by the police, the girls were without money and suffering from hunger. They belonged to St. Michael's parish, Jersey City, and their rector was untiring in his efforts to reclaim the girls.

DELEGATES RECEIVE GRIEVANCE ANSWER

SCRANTON, Aug. 28.—A convention of representatives of the employes of the Pennsylvania and Hillside Coal Companies, operated by the Erie, was held here today to hear the answer of General Manager May to the checkweighing and other grievances presented two weeks ago for adjustment. The delegates discussed the answer for four hours and then adjourned until tomorrow. Nothing was given out as to the nature of the answer, but it was broadly hinted that while not wholly satisfactory it is such that it will obviate the threatened trouble.

Flames Consume Money.

INDIANA, PA., Aug. 28.—(Special.)—The Henderson hotel at Cherrytree was destroyed by fire early yesterday morning with all its contents. Seven of the boarders, whose escape by way of the stairs had been cut off by the flames, were obliged to jump from a second-story window. Harry Johnston, a boarder, had to leave his trousers, containing $140. The total loss is about $9,500, with insurance of $4,800. On Martin Johnston's farm this morning his barn with all its contents was destroyed by fire. Four horses were lost. The loss is about $4,500, with $1,300 insurance.

Trouble Among Knights.

NEW CASTLE, PA., Aug. 28.—(Special.)—Peter M. Doup, a member of the colored Knights Templar, and the most prominent negro business man in town, was arrested today charged by A. J. Young, another colored Mason, with the larceny of paraphernalia used in the initiation of candidates. It is alleged that the articles were borrowed for the use of Dr. E. S. Cooper, a well-known physician, who was just gone into the commandery.

Changes in Catholic Circles.

CUMBERLAND, MD., Aug. 28.—(Special.)—Father Thomas J. Stanton, after 14 years' continuous service as pastor of St. Mary's Catholic church, Lonaconing, has been transferred by the cardinal to St. Joseph's parish, Baltimore. He will be succeeded by Father Quinn of Barton, formerly assistant at Lonaconing, and Father Conway will succeed Father Quinn at Barton.

Houses Robbed of Jewelry.

CONNELLSVILLE, PA., Aug. 28.—(Special.)—The residences of Mrs. Carrie Kuntz, C. B. Brundridge, R. M. Richardson and J. A. Mason were entered by burglars last night and ransacked. At each of the houses the intruders secured small change, jewelry and helped themselves to edibles.

Thieves Enter Treasurer's Office.

BEAVER, PA., Aug. 28.—(Special.)—Twenty dollars and a large number of postage stamps were stolen Sunday from the office desk of County Treasurer T. B. Broadshow in the court house. The attempt to get into the vault was unsuccessful. The thieves were in possession of keys to the office and desk drawers.

Burglars Enter Depot.

ASHTABULA, O., Aug. 28.—(Special.)—Burglars entered the Lake Shore depot at Kingsville last night through a window and got away with a trunk, valise and two express packages. At Ashtabula, Russick's clothing store was entered and the contents of the cash drawer taken.

Expect a Carnegie Donation.

NEW CASTLE, PA., Aug. 28.—(Special.)—A $40,000 donation from Andrew Carnegie for the Colored Industrial school here is expected by the Rev. George Kincaid, its founder. He is home from New York, where he conferred with Mr. Carnegie's representative.

Child Drinks Carbolic Acid.

MARIETTA, O., Aug. 28.—While Mr. and Mrs. Harry Fearing of Rochester, Pa., were visiting the latter's mother, Mrs. Mary Dice, today, their 18-months-old son secured a two-ounce bottle of carbolic acid and drank some. The child is unconscious and will die.

Tin Workers Resume Work.

NEW CASTLE, PA., Aug. 28.—(Special.)—Over 1,600 tin workers at the Shenango tin plant, which has been idle since the last of June, resumed work today, when 20 of the 30 hot mills started. The balance of the plant is expected to begin operations within a short time.

Will Remove Wounded Officer.

NEW CASTLE, PA., Aug. 28.—(Special.)—Police Officer John Atkinson, who was wounded last August by Rosewell Waite when the latter killed Policeman Frank Skidmore, will be taken next Saturday to Mt. Clemens for treatment.

Sheet and Tin Mills Close.

VANDERGRIFT, PA., Aug. 28.—(Special.)—Twenty-one of the 29 mills of the American Sheet and Tin Plate Company were closed here this morning, throwing 800 men out of employment. Shortage of orders is the cause assigned.

Leaves Beaver College.

BEAVER, PA., Aug. 28.—(Special.)—Prof. Ed D. West, instructor in higher mathematics at the Beaver college, has resigned to go to Adrian college at the head of the scientific department.

IMITATIONS VERY POOR.

Secret Service Officers Investigating Counterfeit Money Cases at New Castle.

NEW CASTLE, PA., Aug. 28.—(Special.)—Secret service men are investigating the circulation here of counterfeit $5 silver certificates of the Indian head series of 1888. The counterfeits are poor imitations and readily detected by bankers. The "r" has been omitted from "Washington" in the bogus bill and the periods are omitted after the initials "D. C."

The word "register" is also misspelled, as "regaster," and "treasurer" is spelled "teasurer." Several such bills have been accepted by local merchants, but were detected when taken to the banks. It is thought that foreign residents of the city are passing them off to fellow countrymen who are unable to tell good money from bad.

FIRST PROSECUTION UNDER CIGARET LAW

CONNELLSVILLE, PA., Aug. 28.—(Special.)—The first prosecutions in Connellsville under the new state cigaret law were made here today, when Antonio Spinelli and his wife, Laura, Italians, who conduct a confectionery store in North Pittsburgh street, were arrested for selling cigarets to a minor. J. L. Queer made the information on the ground that they sold them to his 17-year-old son, Ray. Spinelli denied the charge, but was proved guilty by two witnesses. His wife pleaded guilty.

Murderous Attack Made.

UNIONTOWN, PA., Aug. 28.—(Special.)—James W. Rankin, aged 42 years, of Hopwood, was found unconscious by the roadside near Masontown early yesterday morning and investigation showed that he had been assaulted with the evident purpose of murder. He was taken to Uniontown hospital. He is still unconscious and it is feared that his injuries will prove fatal.

Thrown Over Embankment by Train.

LATROBE, PA., Aug. 28.—(Special.)—While attempting to avoid an approaching train near the "Y" bridge on the Pennsylvania railroad this morning John Bowdasky of Crabtree was struck by a westbound freight and hurled over the embankment. No bones were broken, but he was unconscious when picked up and is believed to be suffering from concussion of the brain and internal injuries.

County Constables Organize.

GREENSBURG, PA., Aug. 28.—(Special.)—The constables of Westmoreland county, after making their quarterly returns at the opening of the August term of criminal court, organized a protective association. Harry M. Fry of Latrobe was elected president and W. B. Weaver of Latrobe secretary. A permanent organization will be effected next week.

Dies Suddenly in Bathtub.

GREENSBURG, PA., Aug. 28.—(Special.)—Mrs. Edward O'Brien of Derry was found dead in the bathtub of her home at noon today. It is believed that she was stricken with apoplexy or heart disease. Death was due to drowning, her head being submerged in the water. She was 45 years old and is survived by her husband and several children.

Grants Alimony but Not Divorce.

MARIETTA, O., Aug. 28.—Judge Jones, after hearing the testimony in the divorce case of Dr. Osmer M. Willis against his wife, Harriet Ills, today granted her $15 a month alimony for herself and two children, Earl and Florence. Dr. Willis had sued for divorce on grounds of infidelity, but the divorce was not granted.

Foreigners in Drunken Fight.

UNIONTOWN, PA., Aug. 28.—(Special.)—As the result of a fight at Oliphant Saturday night, six foreigners are in the county jail and one is in the Uniontown hospital. The latter will be placed in jail as soon as he recovers from ugly knife wounds. The trouble occurred in House No. 97.

Laundrymen in Session.

PHILADELPHIA, Aug. 28.—The National Laundrymen's association began a three days' convention in this city today. Delegates are in attendance from all sections of the country. In addition to the laundrymen there are present representatives from every industry connected with the laundry business.

Deeds for Coal Lands.

UNIONTOWN, PA., Aug. 28.—(Special.)—Deeds have been left for record here for the sale of 25 acres of coal in Lower Tyrone township by Attorneys Daniel Sturgeon, L. H. Frasher and T. R. Wakefield of Uniontown, and James A. Shannon, Isaac Hunt and Robert W. Hunt of Uniontown, for $17,500.

Wife Wishes to Get Rid of Him.

COSHOCTON, O., Aug. 28.—(Special.)—Harry Remer petitioned for divorce today because he says his wife is in Cambridge and has written him that she would like to "shake" him, as she has found a man she likes better and wants to marry. They have two children.

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ERIE PASSENGER TRAIN CRASHES INTO OIL CARS

Engineer and Baggagemaster Severely Injured at Franklin—Train Runs Into Open Switch.

[SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE GAZETTE.]

FRANKLIN, PA., Aug. 28.—Erie passenger train due here at 2:57 this afternoon crashed into an open switch at the Galena Signal Oil Company works within two squares of the depot, and before the train could be stopped it had collided with a string of box cars being loaded with barrels of oil. Dick Thompson of Meadville, the engineer, was caught between the engine and tender and was thrown from the train.

He was badly crushed about the hips and may be internally injured. Thompson insisted that he be taken back to Meadville on the next train, instead of going to Franklin hospital. Dick Moffit, the baggagemaster, was thrown heavily against some trunks and had his arm broken. Charles Breiling, who was in one of the oil cars, was badly bruised about the legs.

Had the accident happened a few minutes earlier the list of injured would have been long, as the oil cars were full of men who had just gone into the barrel house when the crash came. The collision smashed the oil barrels in several cars, causing loss of valuable oil. The engine of the passenger train was badly smashed.

"DOING NOTHING" COSTS JOHN ROSS SIX MONTHS

NEW CASTLE, PA., Aug. 28.—John Ross was sentenced today by Mayor Gainer to six months in the Allegheny workhouse. "What have I done?" demanded Ross. "Nothing," was the reply. "That's the trouble. You've done nothing for the last three years and are a vagrant." Chief of Police Spiers took Ross away on a train leaving 20 minutes after his hearing.

Bowser Family to Reunite.

KITTANNING, PA., Aug. 28.—(Special.)—Members of the Bowser family will hold a large annual reunion near here tomorrow. Representatives of 15 states will be in attendance. The Bowsers were among the original settlers of this part of Pennsylvania. "Uncle" Benny Bowser, aged 86, is the oldest living member of the family. One year ago 2,500 of the descendants were at the reunion.

Naval Captain Drops Dead.

PARKERSBURG, W. VA., Aug. 28.—(Special.)—Capt. Samuel B. Raithbone, one of the best-known citizens of Wirt county, who recently moved with his family to Parkersburg, fell dead in the street from heart disease, while going from the steamer landing to his new home this morning. He was 82 years old. He served 35 years in the United States navy and two years during the civil war in the union army.

Democrats to Have Mass Meeting.

KITTANNING, PA., Aug. 28.—(Special.)—Democrats are making big preparations for the opening of the fall campaign in this county, with a mass meeting here early in September. Mayor Berry, candidate for state treasurer, will be the principal speaker.

Receives Heavy Sentence.

GREENSBURG, PA., Aug. 28.—(Special.)—W. C. Groscope, a railroader of South Greensburg, pleaded guilty to a crime against his little daughter, and was sentenced to pay a fine of $500 and undergo an imprisonment of six years in the Western penitentiary.

Newsdealers in Session.

WILKESBARRE, Aug. 28.—(Special.)—The Newsdealers, Booksellers' and Stationers' national convention will convene here tomorrow. Their sessions will last for three days.

MARRIAGE LICENSES.

The following marriage licenses were issued yesterday:

Joseph Kreppel, Anna Regel; Michael Crowley, Jr., Margaret Kennerly; John Glinzer, Maud L. Wallace; E. A. Wellington, Josephine Hardin; John William Appling, Josephine Pool; Homer Lynch, Nellie Cooper; William J. Miller, Catherine E. Blockner; Isaac Clayman, Clara Frosh; all of Pittsburgh.

Hanson A. Weeden, Gertrude Sincox; John R. Daley, Eleanor N. Guckert, all of Allegheny.

Joseph Cloonan, Mary A. Cox; Charles P. Vogel, Jennie C. Sullivan, McKeesport.

C. W. Robinson, Jean W. Bell, Ingram.

Patrick Cline, Helen T. Kennedy, Carnegie.

Wilmer G. Abbott, Alice Stokes, Coal Valley.

William Stuckey, Mary Edwards, Hites.

Frank H. Deithorn, Mary A. Wilson, Chadwick.

Thomas Bates, Flora Roberts, Monessen.

Mark Rigge, Margaret Barry, Sankin.

Peter Fester, Sharpsburg; Rose Anch, Etna; Wilfred Sorehy, Evansville, Ind.; Jane Kinney, Pittsburgh; Thomas Ward, Pittsburgh; Margaret Mulhorson, Allegheny; Robert B. Herbertson, North Jackson, O.; Minnie McClelland, McKeesport; E. H. Alexander, Fleeting, Millvale; Williamina Brown, Pittsburgh; George H. Cronan, Pittsburgh; Elsie M. Llewellyn, Wilmerding; C. H. Williams, McKeesport; Gertie McCauley, Dravosburg; Fred Waldman, Bennett; Caroline Schiegelsmith, Pittsburgh; John Henry, Wall; Ismah Hindman, Pitcairn.

DIED.

BAKER—On Monday, August 28, 1905, at 11:45 a. m., MARGARET A., beloved wife of Andrew Baker, Jr. (nee Hughes), at her late residence, 18 Belonda street, Mt. Washington, aged 29 years.

Notice of funeral later.

(Cleveland and Erie papers please copy.)

DICKSON—On Monday, August 28, 1905, at 11:30 p. m., NEGLEY MARTIN DICKSON, son of John N. and Dora Hoffmeister Dickson, aged 5 months.

Funeral notice later.

MILLIGAN—On Monday, August 28, 1905, at 6:30 a. m., FRANCES GRAHAM, widow of James Milligan, in her 95th year.

Funeral services at her late residence, No. 324 Penn avenue, on Wednesday at 2 p. m. Friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend. Interment private.

MINTEER—On Sunday, August 27, 1905, at 1:15 p. m., STANLEY ALDEN, youngest child of William A. and Emily Minteer (nee Henning), aged 1 year 17 days.

Funeral services will be held at parents' residence, 7225 Mt. Vernon street, Twenty-first ward, Pittsburgh, on Tuesday, August 29, at 10 a. m. Interment in Woodlawn cemetery.

PRESTON—On Monday, August 28, 1905, at 12:30 a. m., JAMES C. PRESTON, aged 54 years.

Funeral services at his late residence, No. 1917 Hatfield street, on Wednesday afternoon at 2 o'clock.

SNYDER—On Saturday, August 26, 1905, at 9:35 p. m., HENRY SNYDER, husband of Katherine Snyder (nee Boyd), in his 61st year.

Funeral services at his late residence, 709 Hogan street, Thirty-seventh ward, on Tuesday, August 29, at 2 o'clock p. m. Friends of the family respectfully invited to attend. Interment at Bethel cemetery.

SWISSHELM—After an illness of eight weeks, JANE SWISSHELM, aged 87 years, is dead at her home, Stiles street, Thirty-seventh ward. Widow of John Swisshelm. She is survived by four sons and four daughters.

WATSON—On Saturday, August 26, at 11:2 p. m., JOSEPH, husband of Emma Watson (nee Cox).

Funeral services at his late home, 196 Home street, this evening at 8 o'clock. Friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend. Interment private on Tuesday at 9 a. m. in South Side cemetery.

WINTER—On Monday, August 28, 1905, at his home in West View, WILLIAM E. WINTER, beloved husband of Caroline Winter (nee Mohr), in his 67th year.

Funeral on Wednesday evening at 8 o'clock. Friends are respectfully invited. Interment private on Thursday morning.

WRIGHT—On Sunday, August 27, 1905, at 11 a. m., CAROLINE C., wife of William C. Wright.

Funeral services at the residence of C. E. Hartupee, 323 Aiken avenue, East End, Tuesday afternoon at 3 o'clock.

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Washington	3—Chicago	1
Philadelphia	5—Detroit	4
Cleveland	5—New York	4
St. Louis	Not Scheduled	Boston

HOW THE CLUBS STAND.

	W.	L.	Pct.		W.	L.	Pct.
Philadelphia	68	44	.596	Boston	63	54	.496
Chicago	63	45	.583	Detroit	51	60	.459
Cleveland	61	49	.555	Washington	47	63	.428
New York	55	60	.524	St. Louis	41	71	.366

TODAY'S SCHEDULE.

Boston at St. Louis.
New York at Detroit
Washington at Chicago.
Philadelphia at Cleveland.

DETROIT, Aug. 28.—Kitson started in to pitch for Detroit and was not only hit freely in the second inning, but gave the game away with errors. Disch relieving him after the fourth. Detroit hit Plank hard in the eighth and tied the score, but Waddell came in and stopped run-making. The winning run was scored on two hits and a fielder's choice. Attendance, 2,000. Score:

Detroit.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.	Philadel'a.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.
M'Intyre, l.	1	2	3	3	0	1	Hartsel, l.	0	0	1	0	0
Lindsay, l.	2	2	3	8	2	1	Hoffman, m	0	0	5	0	0
Schaefer, 2.	0	0	4	4	5	0	Davis, 1.	0	1	5	0	0
Crawf'd, r.	0	1	2	2	0	0	L. Cross, 3.	1	2	1	1	0
Lowe, m.	0	1	2	0	0	0	Seybold, r.	1	1	2	0	0
Coughlin, 3.	0	1	1	3	0	0	Murphy, 2.	2	1	2	2	0
O'Leary, s.	0	0	3	2	0	0	M. Cross, s.	1	1	1	5	2
Drill, c.	0	0	4	1	0	0	Powers, c.	0	0	4	2	0
Kitson, p.	0	0	0	0	0	0	Schreck, c.	0	1	2	0	1
Disch, p.	0	0	0	0	1	0	Plank, p.	0	0	2	4	0
							Waddell, p.	0	0	0	2	0
Totals.	4	9	27	14	5		Totals.	5	9	27	9	2

Detroit	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	2	0	0	4
Philadelphia	0	0	3	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	5

Base hits—Off Kitson, 6 in 4 innings; off Disch, 3 in 5 innings; off Plank, 9 in 8 1-3 innings. Two-base hits—Lindsay, Crawford, Plank, M. Cross. Sacrifice hits—Schaefer, Murphy, Powers, Waddell. Stolen bases—Lindsay, Schaefer, Hartsel, Murphy. Bases on balls—Off Plank, 1; off Disch, 1. Hit by pitcher—By Plank, 1. Struck out—By Kitson, 2; by Disch, 1; by Plank, 3; by Waddell, 2. Double play—Disch to O'Leary to Lindsay. Passed ball—Powers, 1. Wild pitch—Plank, 1. Time—1:45. Umpire—O'Loughlin.

Highlanders Are Nosed Out.

CLEVELAND, O., Aug. 28.—Cleveland won from New York in the ninth inning today, on Jackson's single, a pass, a double steal and Hess' out. Orth was knocked out of the box in the seventh. Manager Lajoie played for the first time since July 1, playing first base. Attendance, 2,501. Score:

Cleveland.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.	New York.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.
Bay, m.	1	1	1	0	1	Fultz, m.	0	0	2	0	0
Flick, r.	1	2	2	0	0	Keeler, r.	1	2	0	0	0
Bradley, s.	0	1	0	0	0	Gilberfeld, s.	1	1	1	3	0
Lajoie, 1.	0	0	7	1	0	Williams, 1.	2	1	11	3	0
Stovall, 2.	0	0	1	5	0	Yeager, 3.	0	0	0	3	0
Jackson, l.	1	2	2	2	0	Conroy, l.	1	1	16	0	1
Turner, s.	0	0	2	1	0	Deleh'ty, l.	0	0	1	0	0
Clarke, c.	1	0	0	1	0	Kleinow, c.	0	0	4	1	0
Hess, p.	0	1	2	0	1	Orth, p.	0	0	0	4	0
						Chesbro, p.	0	0	1	1	0
Totals.	5	7	27	8	2	Totals.	4	5	*26	15	1

*Two out when winning run was scored.

Cleveland	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	1	0	1	—	5
New York	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	4	0	0	—	4

Hits—Orf Orth, 5 in 6 2-3 innings; off Chesbro, 2 in 2 1-3 innings. Two-base hits—Flick, Jackson, Williams. Sacrifice hits—Turner, Bradley, Yeager. Stolen bases—Flick, Jackson, Clarke. First base on balls—Off Hess, 2; off Orth, 2; off Chesbro, 1. Struck out—By Hess, 8; by Orth, 3; by Chesbro, 1. Passed ball—Clarke. Wild pitch—Hess. Time—1:40. Umpire—Sheridan.

Hughes Wins Another Game.

CHICAGO, Aug. 28.—Washington today defeated Chicago, 3 to 1. Hughes pitched in fine form. Attendance, 5,678. Score:

Chicago.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.	Wash'ton.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.
Green, r.	0	0	1	0	2	Cassidy, s.	0	0	1	4	0
McJones, m.	1	0	2	0	0	Hill, 3.	0	0	3	1	0
Isbell, 2.	0	0	2	3	4	Hickman, 2.	1	2	0	2	0
Holmes, l.	0	0	0	0	0	Anderson, l.	0	1	2	0	0
Donohue, l.	0	0	0	13	1	Knoll, r.	0	0	0	0	0
M'Far'd, c.	0	0	0	*6	3	Stahl, 1.	0	2	14	0	0
Tanehill, 2.	0	1	1	4	0	G.Jones, m.	0	0	1	1	0
Durbin, s.	0	0	0	1	0	Heydon, c.	0	0	6	3	1
Smith, p.	0	0	0	0	0	Hughes, p.	0	0	0	5	0
Walsh, p.	0	0	1	0	0						
Totals.	1	2	27	16	3	Totals.	3	5	27	15	1

Chicago	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1
Washington	0	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	1	0	—	3

Hits—Off Smith, 2 in 3 innings; off Walsh, 3 in 6 innings. Two-base hits—Hickman, Anderson, Isbell. Sacrifice hits—Donohue, Heydon, F. Jones. Stolen bases—Stahl 2, C. Jones 2. Struck out—By Smith, 2; by Walsh, 3; by Hughes, 5. Hit with ball—Stahl. Time—1:57. Umpire—Hurst.

YOUNGSTOWN IS WINNER AT ZANESVILLE, 5 TO 1

ZANESVILLE, O., Aug. 28.—(Special.)—Youngstown won again from the locals, Billy Thomas today allowing the heavy hitters on the home team but four hits, winning his game 5 to 1. The score:

Zanesville.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.	Youngst'n.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.
Quinn, m.	0	0	0	1	1	Blount, r.	1	2	1	0	0
Gil'gan, s.	1	1	0	2	0	Maloney, m	0	0	1	0	0
Ruling, l.	0	0	14	1	0	Fields, m.	0	0	2	0	0
Drumm, 2.	0	2	1	6	0	Phyle, 3.	0	1	3	2	1
Magoo, l.	0	0	0	0	0	Whitney, l.	0	1	3	0	0
Wolfe, r.	0	0	0	0	0	M'Clel'd, 2.	1	1	2	2	0
Flood, 3.	0	1	1	2	0	W.Tho's, 1.	1	1	2	1	0
Blue, c.	0	0	9	2	1	Barton, s.	0	0	2	3	0
Lucas, p.	0	0	0	1	0	O'Neill, c.	1	2	7	0	0
Hatch, p.	0	0	1	1	0	B.Tho's, p.	1	2	0	1	0
Totals.	1	4	27	17	2	Totals.	5	11	27	8	1

Zanesville	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	—	1
Youngstown	1	0	0	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	—	5

Stolen bases—Blount 2, Maloney, Barton. Two-base hits—Drumm 2. Three-base hit—B. Thomas. Home run—O'Neill. Double plays—Ruling, Drum, B. Thomas, Whitney, McCloskey. Bases on balls—Off Hatch, 2. Hit by pitched ball—Lucas, 1. Struck out—By Lucas, 2; by Hatch, 5; by Thomas, 7. Innings pitched—Lucas, 4; Hatch, 5. Time—1:42. Umpire—Somers. Attendance—750.

Homestead Shut Out Again.

Butler scored a shutout yesterday at Homestead, 2 to 0. Stewart, who pitched for Butler, was in rare form, Homestead not getting a hit until the fifth inning. Frank Eastley pitched excellent ball for Homestead, but his support at times was bad, there being errors of omission in plenty. The score:

Butler.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.	Homestead	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.
Bates, l.	0	2	3	2	1	0	Collins, 2.	0	0	1	1	0
Murphy, r.	0	0	1	1	0	0	Kennoy, s.	0	1	0	4	1
Nolan, m.	0	0	2	1	0	0	Sellers, m.	0	1	1	1	0
Troupe, s.	0	1	3	1	2	0	Mathay, r.	0	0	2	0	0
M'Laf'y, l.	0	1	11	1	0	0	Fohl, c.	0	1	8	1	0
Traynor, 2.	0	1	4	3	0	0	Shultz, l.	0	1	1	0	0
M'Kee'e, 3.	0	0	0	2	3	0	Morgan, l.	0	0	2	0	0
Ingelney, c.	0	0	7	3	0	0	Reichert, 3.	0	2	3	3	1
Stewart, p.	0	0	0	2	0	0	Eastley, p.	0	2	0	3	0
Totals.	0	5	27	15	6	0	Totals.	0	8	*26	13	2

*Murphy out for cutting first base.

Butler	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	—	2	
Homestead	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	—	0	

Three-base hits—Bates, Nolan, Troupe. Two-base hits—Bates, Shultz. Sacrifice hits—Murphy, Troupe, McKechnie. Struck out—By Stewart, 1; by Eastley, 7. Bases on balls—Troupe. Umpire—Mullen.

O'Leary Clouts the Ball.

SHARON, PA., Aug. 28.—(Special.)—Sharon defeated Indiana today, 6 to 4. Kummer pitched good ball. The playing of Flynn and Ferguson and the batting of Elliott, O'Leary and Smith were features. The score:

Sharon.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.	Indiana.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.
Ferg'son, s.	1	2	1	2	1	M'Cre't, s.	2	2	0	5	0
Flynn, 3.	0	0	2	1	0	Konmer, 2.	0	0	4	3	1
Forkum, 2.	0	0	1	1	0	O'Leary, 3.	1	2	1	1	0
Kerr, l.	0	1	1	0	0	St. Clair, c.	0	1	6	2	3
Schett'r, m	0	2	0	0	0	Hammer, m	0	0	0	0	0
Smith, r.	2	3	0	0	0	Elliott, 1.	1	2	8	0	1
Tate, c.	1	1	8	9	0	Means, r.	0	1	0	1	0
Welty, 1.	2	2	14	0	0	Marlin, l.	0	0	5	0	0
Kummer, p	0	0	0	3	0	King, p.	0	1	0	2	0
Totals.	6	11	27	14	2	Totals.	4	9	24	13	5

Sharon	0	0	1	1	3	0	0	0	*	—	6	
Indiana	1	0	1	0	0	1	0	1	0	—	4	

Two-base hits—Ferguson, Welty, McCreight, Elliott, O'Leary. Three-base hits—O'Leary, Elliott. Stolen bases—Smith 2, Ferguson, Welty, O'Leary. First base on balls—Off Kummer, 2; off King, 1. Struck out—By Kummer, 8; by King, 5. Sacrifice hits—Smith, Kummer, Konmer. Time—1:40. Umpire—Wilson.

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Pittsburgh	4—Philadelphia	2
Brooklyn	10—Cincinnati	6
Chicago	4—Boston	2
New York	8—St. Louis	1

STANDING OF THE CLUBS.

	W.	L.	Pct.		W.	L.	Pct.
New York	82	32	.719	Cincinnati	60	57	.513
Pittsburgh	75	43	.636	St. Louis	46	75	.386
Chicago	69	49	.585	Brooklyn	37	79	.319
Philadelphia	62	53	.539	Boston	28	82	.317

TODAY'S CARD.

Pittsburgh at Philadelphia.
St. Louis at New York.
Cincinnati at Brooklyn.
Chicago at Boston.

[SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE GAZETTE.]

PHILADELPHIA, Aug. 28.—The Phillies tried out Munson, a young catcher, from the Charleston, S. C., team today against Pittsburgh and his blunders, in a larger measure, helped the Pirates to win 4 to 2.

Pittinger and Philippe pitched good ball, and had one of the Phillies' regular catchers been behind the bat, it would have been a pretty battle. There was only one inning in which either pitcher was found for more than two hits. Magee led both teams at the bat, while Roy Thomas made the star stunt in the field. His chase and capture of Howard's long drive close to the flagpole was the only real sensational play of the game, which was otherwise rather draggy.

Pittinger started off in great shape, striking out Wallace and Clarke, but Leach and Wagner were not so easy, and each made a single. Wagner stole second and Howard had a chance to drive in two men. He hit the ball hard enough, but it was a liner straight at Magee.

In the second Magee hit safely to center, took second on Kruger's out, and scored when Bransfield's throw on Doolin's grounder got away from him.

Pittsburgh planted enough runs in the third to win the game. Clarke was safe at first on a poor throw by Pittinger. A passed ball allowed him to take second, and he stole third. Leach hit to Doolin, and though the throw was wide, Clarke was out, Leach safe. Then Munson on a chase up and down the line, the catcher dropping the ball while in the act of touching the runner.

Leach, in the meantime, reached third, and counted on Wagner's hit. Wagner stole second and continued on to third on Munson's wild throw. Howard's long drive, which Thomas captured, allowed Wagner to walk home. Brain beat out an infield hit, stole second, but was caught going to third on Munson's overthrow.

Pittsburgh added another in the seventh on singles by Ritchie and Gibson. Philippe's sacrifice and Clarke's hit. The Phillies also got one man home in their half of the same inning. Doolin and Munson hit safely, and the former came home on Thomas' single. Philippe retired the Phillies in order in the next two innings, so the Phillies were really never dangerous after the third inning.

Leever is troubled with a stomach disorder, and will not be able to take his turn in the box. Hillebrand, who had such good success against the Phillies last trip, may try his hand tomorrow. There will be two games tomorrow. The score today:

Pittsburgh	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.	Philadel'a.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.
Wallace, r.	0	0	1	0	0	Thomas, m.	0	2	4	1	0
Clarke, l.	1	1	2	2	0	Gleason, 2.	0	0	1	2	0
Leach, m.	1	1	4	3	0	Courtney, 3.	0	0	4	2	0
Wagner, s.	1	2	2	1	0	Magee, l.	1	1	3	0	0
Howard, 1.	0	1	9	0	2	Kruger, r.	0	0	0	0	0
Brain, 3.	0	1	0	2	0	B'nsfield, 1.	0	1	8	0	0
Ritchey, 2.	1	2	0	6	0	Doolin, s.	1	1	0	3	0
Gibson, c.	0	1	8	0	0	Munson, c.	0	1	7	0	1
Philippe, p	0	0	0	0	0	Pittinger, p	0	0	0	3	0
						*Dooin	0	0	0	0	0
Totals.	4	11	27	9	2	Totals.	2	8	27	14	1

*Batted for Pittinger in ninth.

Pittsburgh	0	0	3	0	0	0	1	0	0	—	4
Philadelphia	0	1	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	—	2

Two-base hit—Howard. Sacrifice hits—Kruger, Philippe, Gibson. Stolen bases—Clarke 2, Wagner 2, Brain, Magee. Bases on balls—Off Philippe, 1; off Pittinger, 1. Struck out—By Philippe, 7; by Pittinger, 7. Time—2:00. Umpire—O'Day. Attendance—3,880.

McIntyre to the Rescue.

BROOKLYN, N. Y., Aug. 28.—Cincinnati was beaten by Brooklyn today, 10 to 6. McIntyre relieved Strickett and saved the game. Manager Kelley of Cincinnati was not in the game, being called to Boston, owing to serious illness of his sister. The score:

Brooklyn.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.	Cincinnati.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.
Dobbs, m.	2	1	2	1	0	Huggins, 2.	1	2	2	4	1
Sheckard, l	2	1	3	0	0	Barry, 1.	0	2	11	0	1
Lumley, r.	2	4	1	0	0	Bridwell, l.	0	2	3	0	0
Batch, 3.	0	0	2	2	1	Seymo'r, m.	0	1	3	0	0
Gessler, l.	1	2	2	7	2	Corcoran, s.	1	1	1	2	0
Malay, 2.	0	0	0	1	0	Steinf'lt, 3.	1	1	0	1	0
Lewis, s.	2	1	3	6	2	Odwell, r.	1	1	1	0	1
Ritter, c.	0	0	2	7	1	Schlei, c.	1	0	3	0	0
Strickl't, p.	0	0	1	3	0	Ewing, p.	1	1	0	3	0
M'Intyre, p	0	0	1	0	0	Chech, p.	0	0	0	2	1
						*Street	0	0	0	0	0
Totals.	10	11	27	18	3	Totals.	6	9	24	12	4

*Batted for Chech in ninth inning.

Brooklyn	1	0	2	1	0	0	0	6	*	—	10	
Cincinnati	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	—	6	

Two-base hit—Lewis. Three-base hits—Corcoran, Ritter. Home run—Lumley. Sacrifice hits—Sheckard, Malay, Ritter, Corcoran. Stolen bases—Gessler. First base on balls—Off Strickiett, 2; off McIntyre, 1; off Ewing, 1; off Chech, 1. Hit by pitched ball—By Strickiett, 1; by Ewing, 1. Struck out—By Strickiett, 2; by McIntyre, 4; by Ewing, 2; by Chech, 1. Time—2:00. Umpire—Emslie. Hits—Off Strickiett, 6 in 5 innings; off McIntyre, 3 in 4 innings; off Ewing, 7 in 4 innings; off Chech, 4 in 4 innings. Attendance—1,600.

Jake Weimer Beats Young.

BOSTON, Aug. 28.—Chicago won a poorly played game from Boston today, 4 to 2. The game abounded in misplays. Score:

Chicago.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.	Boston.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.
Slagle, m.	1	2	1	0	1	Murphy, 3.	0	0	2	1	2
Dahlen, 3.	1	0	1	1	0	Tenney, 1.	0	0	8	2	2
M'Car'y, l.	0	1	5	1	1	Dolan, r.	0	0	2	0	0
Schulte, r.	0	1	2	1	0	Deleh'ty, l.	0	1	0	1	0
Tinker, s.	0	2	2	1	1	Cannell, m.	0	0	2	0	0
Maloney, r.	1	0	1	0	0	Rayner, 2.	0	1	5	0	1
Hoffman, 2	0	1	4	1	0	Laut'b'n, s.	2	0	3	3	1
Kling, c.	0	1	10	2	0	Moran, c.	0	2	4	4	0
Weimer, p.	0	1	0	3	1	Young, p.	0	0	1	8	0
						*Fraser	0	0	0	0	0
Totals.	4	9	27	9	5	Totals.	2	5	27	18	5

*Batted for Young in the ninth.

Chicago	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	2	—	4	
Boston	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	0	0	—	2	

Two-base hit—Moran. Sacrifice hits—McCarthy, Maloney. Stolen base—McCarthy. First on balls—Off Weimer, 3; off Young, 3. Hit by pitched ball—Delehanty. Struck out—By Weimer, 9; by Young, 4. Passed ball—Kling. Wild pitches—Young, 2. Time—1:52. Umpire—Bausewine. Attendance—1,800.

New York Outclasses St. Louis.

NEW YORK, Aug. 28.—New York outclassed St. Louis today, Strang's fumble and a base on balls saving the latter from a shut out. Attendance, 3,000. Score:

New York.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.	St. Louis.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.
Browne, r.	0	1	3	0	0	Dunle'vy, r.	1	1	0	0	0
Donlin, m.	2	2	3	0	0	Shannon, l.	0	2	1	0	0
McGann, l.	2	2	15	1	0	Smoot, m.	0	1	4	1	0
Mertes, l.	2	3	0	0	0	Beckley, 1.	0	2	10	0	2
Dahlen, s.	2	3	4	4	0	Shay, 2.	0	0	1	8	0
Devlin, 3.	0	0	0	2	0	McBride, s.	0	1	6	3	1
Strang, 2.	0	0	1	8	1	Burke, 3.	0	1	1	1	1
Bow'm'n, c.	0	2	2	1	0	Leahy, c.	0	1	1	2	0
Clarke, c.	0	0	1	0	0	Thielman, p	0	0	0	1	0
Math's'n, p	0	0	1	2	0						
Totals.	8	13	27	18	1	Totals.	1	9	24	16	4

New York	0	0	0	4	3	0	1	0	*	—	8	
St. Louis	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	—	1	

Bases on balls—Off Mathewson, 2; off Thielman, 1. Struck out—By Mathewson, 3; by Thielman, 1. Home runs—McGann, Dahlen. Three-base hits—Donlin, Mertes 2. Two-base hit—Bowerman. Double plays—Mathewson, Dahlen and McGann; Smoot and Shay; Shay, McBride and Beckley. Wild pitch—Thielman. Umpire—Johnston. Time—1:30.

Gazette Wins Game.

The Gazette team defeated the West Pittsburgh A. C. in a five-inning contest last evening, on Shaner grounds, 4 to 2. Score:

Gazette.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.	W. Pgh.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.
Shalley, 3.	1	1	1	1	0	Cordell, l.	1	1	8	0	0
McGraw, c.	1	1	5	0	0	E.Jack'n, r.	1	1	0	0	0
Wherry, s.	1	0	1	0	0	Chess, 3.	0	1	1	0	0
Rodgers, 2.	1	2	2	3	0	Coe, s.	0	1	1	3	0
Atwood, l.	0	1	4	0	0	Green, 2.	0	1	2	0	0
Eagle, l.	0	0	2	0	0	Coleman, l.	0	0	0	0	0
And'son, m	0	0	0	0	0	W. Coe, m.	0	0	2	0	0
Flam'an, r.	0	0	0	0	0	Harty, c.	0	0	5	1	0
Laughlin, p	0	0	0	0	0	Jackson, p.	0	0	0	1	1
Totals.	4	5	15	4	0	Totals.	2	6	15	7	3

Gazette	2	0	2	0	0	—	4					
West Pittsburgh	1	0	0	1	0	—	2					

Struck out—By Laughlin, 5; by Jackson, 4. Double play—Rodgers and Atwood and Jackson and Cordell. Umpire—Wilson.

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Strong Players on The Piedmont Team

NICHOLAS MADDOX, Pitcher. JOHN J. SAVAGE, Shortstop.

Maddox and Savage are Baltimore boys, and they are playing excellent ball for the Piedmont team, which is now leading in the George Creek league. Maddox is regarded as the star pitcher of the league, which he leads in victories. One of his achievements against independent teams was a victory over the fast Zanesville (O.) club, 7 to 0. He is to be given a trial by Baltimore. He and Bill Loudon, the Allegheny boy who is playing third for Piedmont, will go to Baltimore together.

BOYLE GIVES BRADDOCK TWO HITS; NO RUNS

Niles won at Braddock yesterday, 6 to 0. Braddock was unable to hit, getting but two safe ones. "Lefty" Boyle struck out 10 men, but he was liberal with passes and 10 men walked. The trouble was, however, that no matter how many he walked, no one could hit safe, and he managed to retire the side without trouble. In the sixth, with a man on second and one on first, he struck out three men. In the ninth, with the bases full, he struck out two men and the next went out on an easy grounder.

But two balls were knocked out of the diamond, and they were the two hits credited to Braddock. Brookmiller pitched a steady game, but Niles bunched its hits well.

Niles will play at Braddock again today. Butler will likely be in Braddock Wednesday and Thursday. Score:

Niles.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.	Braddock.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.
Cooper, m.	2	3	0	1	0	Edm'son, 3.	0	0	2	2	1
Pat'son, l.	1	1	1	6	2	Keller, 1.	0	0	6	0	0
Rudolph, l.	1	1	3	0	0	Porter, 2.	0	0	2	1	0
Drake, r.	0	2	0	0	0	Burke, r.	0	0	4	0	0
Stewart, 2.	0	0	2	0	0	Crum, m.	0	1	2	1	0
Corton, c.	0	0	12	4	1	Bailey, c.	0	0	9	1	1
M'Tuck, s.	0	0	2	0	0	Sandhert, s.	0	1	1	1	0
Kruger, s.	1	1	1	1	0	Brisbine, l.	0	0	1	1	0
Boyle, p.	0	0	1	1	2	Sweeney, l.	0	0	0	0	0
						E'miller, p.	0	0	0	0	1
						*Castle	0	0	0	0	0
Totals.	6	11	27	12	2	Totals.	0	2	27	7	3

*Batted for Brookmiller in ninth inning.

Niles	1	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	3	—	6
Braddock	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	—	0

Two-base hits — Cooper, Boyle. Rudolph. Drake. Crum. Sacrifice hits—Keller, Patterson (2). Stolen bases—Crum, Bailey, Cooper, Patterson. Bases on balls—Off Brookmiller 2, off Boyle, 10. Struck out—By Brookmiller 7, by Boyle 10. Hit by pitcher—Edmundson, Patterson, Stewart, Keller. Umpire—McKeever.

CHESSMASTERS BEGIN THE THIRTEENTH ROUND

BARMEN, GERMANY, Aug. 28.—The 13th round of the international chess masters' tournament was commenced today. Four games of the regular round were concluded during the morning session. Janowski drew his game with Marocsy, Schlechter won from Bardeleben, Leonhardt defeated Berger and

SOCIETY

IT was a very prettily appointed wedding which took place last evening at the Frankstown avenue home of Mr. and Mrs. William Bailey McFall, when their daughter, Miss Almira McFall, became the wife of Arthur B. Siviter. The Rev. Jacob T. Pender, pastor of the Homewood Avenue Methodist Episcopal church, performed the ceremony at 7:30 o'clock, the bride being attended by Miss Edna Young, as maid of honor. The bridal party also included Rayburn Gove, as best man, and Master Finley Stevenson and little Miss Virginia Stevenson, cousins of the bride, as ribbon bearers. Simeon Bissell, a family friend of the McFalls, played the wedding march, and during the reception following the ceremony, a musical program was given by a string orchestra. The bride was gowned in white messaline satin, trimmed with point lace. Her veil was caught up with orange blossoms and her bouquet was of white roses. Miss Young appeared in a white French muslin and the two little ribbon bearers were also in white. Green and white were the colors carried out in the decorations of the house—white phlox and asters, with quantities of asparagus fern and trailing vines, palms and other greenery, being tastefully arranged through the various apartments. White roses formed the centerpiece on the bride's table, where covers were laid for 10. Among the out-of-town guests at the wedding were: Mrs. S. Y. Ramage and Miss Florence Ramage, Oil City; Miss Gilmer, Warren, O.; Miss Mabelle Mongon and Miss Emily Mongon, Lakewood, O.; Miss Lyman, Chardon, O.; Frank Cook, Washington, D. C., and Mrs. George Bolton of Boston, Mass. At the conclusion of their wedding trip Mr. and Mrs. Siviter will reside in Bellefonte street, East End, where they have announced at-home days for after October 1. Mr. Siviter occupies the chair of mathematics in the Shadyside academy. He is a graduate of Yale, class of '98. His fiancee was graduated from the Western Reserve university in Cleveland, O.

Tea for English Guest.

Miss Muriel Hope of Stanford-le-Hope, Essex, England, who is summering with her uncles, Joseph Mayer and Ernest Mayer of New Brighton, is spending a few days with Mrs. Isaac Wade of "Robinswood," Oakmont. Yesterday Mrs. Wade gave an informal little tea to a few of her intimate friends among the younger set, who were asked to meet the English visitor. Miss Hope is an exceedingly pretty and charming girl, and has made many friends during her short visit in Oakmont. Her brother, Herford Hope, who is making his home in New Brighton, was also a house guest at "Robinswood" over Sunday and shared the honors of an informal 5 o'clock tea which Mrs. Wade gave on Sunday afternoon. Her daughter, Miss Justine Wade, assisted her. Miss Hope will remain in Oakmont until tomorrow and in New Brighton until the latter part of October.

Pittsburghers in the North.

Mrs. Oliver W. Rafferty of Kentucky avenue, East End, is a member of a house party which Mr. Rafferty's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert T. Rafferty, entertained at Imperial island, Alexandria bay, Canada, over the Chippewa races. The house party included many relatives as well as Miss Louise Donnelly and Frank W. Severance of this city. Other Smoky City residents interested in the races were the James Wood Friends and Mr. and Mrs. William Witherow and their daughter, all of whom are at the Frontenac in the Thousand Islands.

Will Have Three Attendants.

The Rev. Dr. S. Hirshberg of Milwaukee, will perform the ceremony at the marriage of Miss Caroline Blumberg and Charles Friend next Tuesday evening. Six o'clock is the hour appointed. The bride will be attended by her fiance's sister, Miss Alice Friend, as maid of honor, and by little Miss Madeline Crone, a small cousin of the bride, as flower girl. Mr. Friend has asked his brother, Louis Friend, to serve as his best man. After their wedding trip the couple will reside in Milwaukee. The wedding will be very quietly conducted in a private suite of rooms on the second floor of the Hotel Schenley.

Social Happenings of Today.

A prominent event among the younger members of Oakmont society, is the dance to be given this evening in the Oakmont Boat club by Miss Helen Rebekah Crookston and Miss Annie Alexander. Their mothers, Mrs. John Crookston and Mrs. H. Will Alexander, will act as chaperones.

Miss Maude Hunter's euchre at the Oakmont Boat club this afternoon will claim the attention of the younger girls and married women of the borough. The honors will go to Miss Susan Paul, whose engagement to R. W. Bauersmith is a recent announcement.

Glenfield Girl Engaged.

Mrs. Fredonia J. Fulton of Glenfield, announces the engagement of her daughter, Emma Johnston Fulton, to Clarence Herbert Eckert of San Diego, Cal., formerly of Allegheny. The engagement is to culminate in a quiet home wedding, September 12, with only the immediate relatives present. The Rev. Ira Leeper of Saxonburg, Pa., a cousin of the bride, will perform the ceremony. The couple will leave at once for their home in California.

Walker-Wilbur.

SOMERSET, PA., Aug. 28.—(Special.)—Miss Grace O. Walker, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William M. Walker of Somerset, was married yesterday afternoon to J. W. Wilbur, formerly of Pittsburgh, at the home of the bride's parents. The ceremony was performed by the Rev. Davis Berkey, pastor of the Somerset United Evangelical church. Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur will live in Somerset.

Canadian Tour Concluded.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Carson, Jr., and Robert Carson, III, returned to their home in Center avenue, Shadyside, on Saturday, after a Canadian tour of eight weeks. The greater part of the time was spent in Beaumaris, where they were established for seven weeks, the remainder of the time being taken up with a tour of the St. Lawrence, including stops in the Thousand Islands and in the Georgian Bay district.

Will Give a Kitchen Shower.

A kitchen shower will be given this afternoon by Miss Katherine Kelley at her home in Broad street, Sewickley, in honor of Miss Mary Lambie, who will be married next Tuesday to Mrs. Joseph Shannon. About 40 invitations have been issued.

Announce Engagement.

SOUTH BETHLEHEM, PA., Aug. 28.—(Special.)—The Rt. Rev. Ethelbert Talbott, bishop of the Episcopal diocese of Central Pennsylvania, today announced the engagement of his daughter, Annie, to Francis Donaldson of Pittsburgh. Mr. Donaldson is a graduate of Lehigh university and is connected with the Dravo Contracting Company of Pittsburgh.

Morgan-Sebring.

ALLIANCE, O., Aug. 28.—(Special.)—Charles S. Sebring and Miss Jessie M. Morgan were married this evening at 7:30. About 80 guests witnessed the ceremony, which was performed by the Rev. R. A. Carnahan of the First Presbyterian church, assisted by J. H. Norris of Pittsburgh, an uncle of the groom. The bride is a leader among the young society of Alliance. They will live at Sebring.

Geary-Shipley.

GREENSBURG, PA., Aug. 28.—(Special.)—Miss Olive Minerva Geary, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Geary of New Florence, and George Earl Shipley of Pittsburgh, were married at Johnstown, last evening. They will live in Pittsburgh.

Visiting in Washington Pa.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Sey of Cleveland, are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Adolph Levins, in Washington, Pa. Mrs. Sey, it will be recalled, was Miss Estelle Thalheimer of Allegheny. She is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Thalheimer of Western avenue.

Visiting Mackinac and Duluth.

Mr. and Mrs. E. G. Ericson and family, of Sewickley, are visiting at Mackinac Island, Mich. They will spend four weeks in that section visiting Duluth and other points.

North Siders on the Go.

Mrs. Edward A. Jones of Franklin street, Allegheny, and her sister, Mrs. J. C. Schreiner, will leave tomorrow evening for a six weeks' tour of California.

Mrs. John Cowley of Marburg street, North Side, expects to leave shortly for a tour of the Canadian resorts.

Among the Clubs.

EVICTED last week from the house which had been her home for a quarter of a century, Mrs. Mary Golden, the custodian of the Blockhouse at the Point, was forced to find temporary lodgings until the new house being erected for her by the Daughters of the American Revolution, is finished. Mrs. Samuel A. Ammon, regent of the Pittsburgh chapter, visited the Blockhouse yesterday to note the progress being made on the custodian's cottage and in the work of improving the grounds surrounding the historic building, the only relic in Pittsburgh of the earliest colonial days in Western Pennsylvania. The custodian's cottage will not be ready for occupancy until next week, and since she was turned out of her old home on Monday of last week by the Pennsylvania Railroad Company, which was impatient to begin work on its Duquesne freight station, Mrs. Golden has been boarding across Penn avenue, but spending all her days in the Blockhouse guarding it against depredations of the workmen who throng about the place and the visitors. The ornamental iron fence in Fort street has been taken down and the portion of the vacated street reverting to the Daughters of the American Revolution will be sodded, thus enlarging the lawn on that side by 20 feet. A concrete walk is being laid around the blockhouse and extending to the steps which lead down from the walk beside the custodian's cottage.

There is a constant stream of visitors to the Blockhouse, men and women climbing over the heaps of rubbish, ashes and broken stone which occupy the space in front of the custodian's cottage, preparatory to the laying of the walk to the Blockhouse in the rear, and the grading of the grounds. A new book for visitors to register in was placed on the writing desk in the little old building, August 1, and from the first day or the month until last evening 2,088 people registered, many others not caring to write their names in the book, which shows the interest felt in the historic building by Pittsburghers and visitors. Many of the names are those of persons living in distant parts of the country.

Arranging Allegheny School Exhibit.

The officers of the Joint Committee of Women's Clubs for the Allegheny playgrounds and vacation schools and a number of the teachers spent all day yesterday in the Exposition building arranging the exhibit of the Allegheny vacation school children. The exhibit is made up of the work which the children voluntarily offered, none of them being compelled to relinquish what they made during the school hours, and thus some of the prettiest and best work is not shown this year. The work includes basketry, sewing, art and nature work, and some of the kindergarten occupations. The millinery department is represented by two hats, which the little girls who volunteered them wore until yesterday, and then permitted to be exhibited. They are representative of the millinery classes in the Irwin avenue and Fifth ward schools. The work of the different schools is shown impartially, and is supplemented by a large collection of photographs of the playgrounds and the different classes and features of the work of the vacation schools, most of the photographs having been taken by the chairman of the joint committee, Mrs. John Cowley.

The women who worked yesterday from 9:30 o'clock until 5 to arrange the exhibit included Mrs. Cowley, Mrs. Edward L. Jones, Mrs. Lillian Stoffel, Mrs. Elizabeth Duffy, Miss Carolyn Henry, Miss Katherine Smiley, Miss Clara Wood, Miss Octavia Wood, Miss Annie Woodside, Mrs. Martha Thompson, Miss Jennie Allers and Miss Isabelle Taylor.

Pittsburgh Schools Will Not Exhibit.

This is the first year since the Joint Committee of Women's Clubs took charge of the summer playgrounds and vacation schools that no exhibit of the work of the children in the Pittsburgh schools has been arranged for the exposition. The expense of properly placing the exhibit, which has heretofore consisted of basketry, sewing, knifework, drawing and painting and bent ironwork, is not a small item, and the women have thought that without an attendant constantly present to explain the work of the children, the exhibit has not accomplished the results hoped for it. So this year the work of the Pittsburgh vacation schools and playgrounds will not be shown.

Doings at Atlantic City

ATLANTIC CITY, Aug. 28.—Pittsburgh visitors carried off prizes at a euchre at the Hotel Richmond given in aid of a seashore charity, and managed by leaders in hotel society. The play took place in the pretty parlors of the hotel, appropriately decked for the occasion and handsome favors were won by Miss Margaret E. Shafer of Pittsburgh, Mrs. A. S. King, Miss Elsie Hynds, Mrs. M. E. Tongling of Pittsburgh, Edward Hanson, A. J. Morrell, A. S. King of Allegheny, and R. H. Hill. A dainty luncheon served at the close of the game was one of the delightful features of the evening.

J. D. Armstrong of Pittsburgh, who injured his wrist while guiding his car to the resort early last week, left yesterday with P. E. Bonner to make the return trip to Pittsburgh over the mountains.

A party of Pittsburgh girls who are spending a week of enjoyment at the Cedarcroft includes Miss M. Hoover, Miss E. S. Patten, Miss C. Reed, Miss M. J. Swearingen, Miss L. Engel and Miss M. E. Strouss.

Mrs. Herbert Johnson of Pittsburgh was the guest of friends at luncheon at the Wiltshire today.

H. J. Block of Altoona is resting at the Stickney. Mr. and Mrs. B. Heith and Mrs. Reith of Altoona are registered at the same hotel for a considerable stay.

E. F. Kennedy, W. C. Burke and C. J. Rathburn were among the well known Pittsburghers seen on promenade this morning.

William McBride and Mrs. McBride arrived in the City of Steel, Pittsburgh yesterday to remain until late September.

Other Pittsburgh visitors who registered today were:

American Garden—J. T. Hynes.
Beechwood—W. Y. Taylor, E. J. Allison.
Aubrey—Dr. M. A. Carroll and son, G. B. Dennis, Mrs. Dennis, Ruth Dennis, C. K. Wagner, Miss Wagner, Miss Milda Dinsmore, Clyde E. Bald.
Bingham—M. Yeager, M. Murphy, F. McAuliff, G. W. Schaffer, Mrs. Schaffer, Mrs. M. Butler.
Berkley—J. M. Hughes, J. G. Hughes, E. M. Hughes, Mrs. J. V. Hughes, J. Craig, S. Weil, Mrs. Weil, Miss J. A. Miller, A. W. Ockenfuss, G. J. Behringer, M. G. McGinley, R. Linke, L. E. Linke.
Chalfonte—John Fulton, Mrs. Fulton, Mrs. John Fellows, Miss M. E. Brown, William McBride, Mrs. McBride.
Chester Inn—L. S. McCarthy, Mrs. McCarthy, E. Dean, Mrs. Dean, E. Dean, A. Dean, C. Dean, J. T. Hynes, T. Lippincott, S. Williams.
Dennis—G. M. Schoyer, M. Greenwood, J. J. Decker, Mrs. Decker, C. E. Miller.
Ethlyn—J. R. Wells, J. B. Wells.
Greens Hotel—Miss C. Morris, R. E. Larrester.
Haddon Hall—S. D. Warriner, John L. Davies, Wm. H. Watt, J. H. Finley, R. J. Gilbert, W. J. Richards, W. G. McFaull, W. H. McClellan.
Hotel Iroquois—M. B. Cain, F. Lawson, G. F. Hayes, Mrs. Hayes.
La Fontaine—C. J. Rathburn, L. Mortiman, B. F. Kennedy, W. J. Burke.
Roanoke—J. W. Barrett, J. S. Price.
Traymore—W. N. Betzell, Mrs. Betzell, M. E. Holden, Mrs. Holden.
Youngs—C. B. Miller, Mrs. A. Hoagland, Mrs. H. W. Treffinger, J. A. Pike, J. A. Wilson, R. A. Ralph, H. Burchfield, F. A. W. Joyce, J. M. Clark.
New Holland—J. Jackar, Mrs. Jackar, F. D. Blackburn, E. M. Cooper, C. G. Westerman, Mrs. Westerman, T. W. McConnell, J. H. West, H. Brewer, P. Keough, L. Hagman, E. Terhuhu, R. Miller, H. Barntollar, G. Barndollar, N. Marshall, M. Porter, B. Donaldson, N. Ashwood, E. Wiley, S. Wiley, B. J. Kerr.

Files a Heavy Claim.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 28.—Through its attorneys, Hon. Charles J. Bonaparte, secretary of the navy, and George E. Hamilton, the Catholic university today filed proof of its claim for $900,000 against the bankrupt estate of Thomas E. Waggaman with Referee Bradley. The proof consists largely of notes, the originals of which were exhibited and copies of which were deposited with Mr. Bradley.

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EMPIRE THEATER OPENS ITS SEASON

A Melodrama Pleases—Joe Welch at Bijou—Burlesque and Musical Comedy.

FAG END OF PARK SEASON

Pittsburgh is just now overwhelmingly "burlesqued." With two theaters given over exclusively to the scantily clad chorus and the broad gauge of olio, and musical skits in two other houses that impinge quite closely upon the borderland of burlesque, the amusement seeker is maced into melodrama or goes hungry. As the season progresses, however, things will brighten for the playgoer who prefers coherency to the chorus in tights. As it is, the Pittsburgh funlovers seemed to find much to their liking in the various theaters last night, detailed information of which follows:

Alvin—"The Runaways."

George Evans, otherwise, and in vaudeville, known as "The Honey Boy," manages to pull a moribund musical comedy back from the grave in this new edition of "The Runaways" that "Rags" Comstock sends out. "The Runaways" was never very brilliant in either book or music and it has lived far beyond its usefulness, or had until "Honey Boy" Evans and this really clever company took hold of it. Now it has its intensely amusing moments, most of them when Evans is on the stage. Mr. Evans suggests Arthur Dunn, who was in the piece last year, playing the role of Blutch. But it is only a suggestion, for Evans is far the cleverer of the two comedians. His interpolated "Down in the Old Town Hall" song, with burlesque accompaniment, is quite a funny bit, while his monologue and parodies are fresh enough to evoke laughter even from those who have heard them in vaudeville.

Charlie Dox as Fleecem, W. T. Boman as Hardtackle, Franklyn Wallace as Robert Gray and J. M. Bowman as Dave Rudd add both humor and vocal excellence to the cast. Margaret Sutherland is statuesque and has a voice of the volume. Mona Currington, a favorite in musical comedy, is excellent as Josie, while Carolyn Walker is chic as Dorothy, but lacks the voice. "The Runaways" is well put forward and marks an excellence in this respect that is gratifying for popular priced musical comedy. The audience at the Alvin filled the big theater, boxes and all, and seemed to extract no end of amusement from the Evans specialties and local references, a large Oakmont box party being the especial recipients of local witticisms.

Bijou—Joe Welch in "The Peddler."

Mr. Welch has tried other plays but does not seem to be able to find a better medium, or one in which the public evinces the same interest as in this melodrama of New York life by Hal Reid. At the end of last season Welch tried "Cohen's Luck," but it was an unlucky change, so this season while he waits for a new play in preparation for him he resorts to the Reid play again. All of which is to be regretted, for "The Peddler" is by no means the best medium for the exploitation of talents that no actor really possesses. It is a melodrama constructed out of quite all the elements of this type of play that have done duty since the birth of melodrama. There is the usual lachrymose sentiment engendered by a blind child, an evicted father, a dead baby and a disreputable son whose mother is in heaven. There is the usual villain who hisses his threats through his teeth, and the inevitable Bowery toughs. Mr. Welch won a personal welcome at the Bijou in the afternoon and evening that proves his popularity. He plays the role of Jacobson, the Jew peddler with reserve and some strength, though the characterization is not one of depth or subtlety. It is the obvious stage Jew that Mr. Welch gives us, resembling very little any one of the various human types. The company is mainly good. Ed. Lawrence and Nina Harrington do Bowery types well and add some conventional specialties. If the Bowery characters on the stage would only find some variation for that stereotyped dance it would be a relief. Jessie Welburn, little Frances McGrath, as the blind child, William O'Day as a policeman and Olive Madison give the star good support. The melodrama is well staged.

Empire—"The White Caps."

The theatrical season opened up-town last night with "The White Caps" at the Empire. Manager McCullough's selection of a melodrama of the ultra-sensational sort as a starter for this season's offerings at the popular play house in the East End was evidently a wise one, judging by the enthusiastic applause that was given by the large crowd in attendance. For the lovers of stirring, exciting entertainment, where the introduction of plenty of gunpowder and a few bowie knives is always welcome, the production last night was a model in most respects. "The White Caps" is made up on the doings of the famous Ku Klux klans of the period after the civil war and is not a bad presentation of the events which were typical of those days. Treachery, violence, murder and revenge are all portrayed in an extremely forceful manner and the efforts to bring justice out of the chaos of rebellion are sufficiently hair-raising to warrant the uproarious applause of the gallery crowds which were there to make themselves heard after a protracted spell of quiet. The play is clean in its moral tone and rather instructive. Intermingled with the acts of the play itself were many southern songs and a few darky specialities that were well received.

Gayety—Sydell's London Belles.

Rose Sydell's London Belles gave a performance in the Gayety theater last night before a large and apparently satisfied audience. Two acts of a burlesque entitled "Dazzling Nancy," which Barney Gerard publically admits writing, were produced, while several good vaudeville turns separated the two acts of the burlesque to relieve the strain. Miss Sydell looked well, but sang badly, though she was surrounded by a chorus that was somewhat above the ordinary from a singing and physical standpoint. In the olio the Weston Sisters, McCall trio and Bijou comedy trio do some good work while May Shirk sings well. "The Great Reivea," billed as "The Perfect Man," showed where his muscles were, as did "Twenty Beautiful Models" who posed as living pictures.

Academy—"Imperial Burlesquers."

The Imperial Burlesquers gave an excellent performance as variety exhibits go. It is full of action from start to finish, the ballets are of good form, with enough singing, dancing and knock-about specialty work to satisfy all hands. The wrestling match, while not exciting, was a good one. A Japanese, with an unpronounceable name appeared on the mat with Harry Parker, in American style, catch as catch can, Parker winning in eight minutes. Tonight they will appear in Japanese style or jiu jitsu, in which the nimble Japanese will be more at home.

Nixon—"Simple Simon Simple."

The second and last week of "Simple Simon Simple" began last night at the Nixon theater. The piece seems to have pleased a number of people and the members of the company work hard to evolve interest out of material that is pretty good only in the first act, a shade worse in the second and hopelessly bad in the third. But it is summer nonsense and Jerry Sullivan's Mose and Bertie Dale's songs go far toward compensating for other deficiencies.

"The Sho-Gun" Coming.

Henry M. Savage announces for next week at the Nixon theater the Korean comic opera, "The Sho-Gun," which scored such a success at this theater in May last. The production is most beautiful, the book and music by George Ade and Gustav Luder are quite the best efforts of these two very versatile writers. The cast is almost identical with the one seen last season, the exigencies of the profession calling for two changes among the principals. The sale of seats will be opened at the box office on Thursday morning.

Robertson's Band at Luna Park.

With another record breaking crowd in attendance, Luna park inaugurated another week of its triumph as a recreative and amusement resort last evening. The brilliantly illuminated park has won a place high in the regard of Pittsburgh amusement lovers and it maintains its hold upon them as no other out-of-door attraction ever did before in this vicinity.

The concert last evening was of an especially interesting character, and for the vast throng which gathered around the band stand a surprise of a rather delightful nature was given. Morin's French Military band had been engaged and widely advertised for this week at Luna, but unfavorable reports having come from Cleveland where the band played last week, Manager Ingersoll visited Cleveland to hear the music, and realizing that Morin's band did not come up to the standard set in Pittsburgh's Luna park he promptly cancelled and wiring over the country succeeded, after much difficulty, in booking Robertson's Military band, one of the best musical organizations on tour in the United States. This band arrived yesterday afternoon, and last evening gave a finished concert replete with popular music which captivated the large audience and elicited numerous encores.

The feature of the concert however, was the reappearance of Miss Blanche B. Mehaffey, of Cincinnati, who was introduced to Pittsburgh audiences at Luna park on the occasion of the visit there of Weber's band. Miss Mehaffey was in excellent voice and when she appeared on the platform was greeted with an outburst of applause which delayed her opening for fully five minutes. She was forced to respond to four different encores.

Luna has introduced in its open air circus this week a veritable sensation in the Four Bards, American athletes, whose feats of strength and acrobatic stunts are perfect whirlwinds of endurance, grace and skill. They held their vast audience spellbound last night for 30 minutes and were forced to come back several times and bow after their act had been completed.

At Oakwood and Southern.

Oakwood and Southern parks had record-breaking crowds last evening to mark the first night of the closing week of the park vaudeville season which has been one of the most successful in the history of the trolley pleasure resorts. As a finale A. S. McSwiggan, manager of amusements, has secured the best talent obtainable for the closing week and the patrons of the parks were greatly pleased. At Oakwood park William Josh Daly's New York minstrels hold forth. There are two hours of fun and laughter. At Southern the bill includes Al Waltz, the champion roller skater and unicyclist of the world, who gave a good exhibition, the great Haywood, half man and half woman, has a unique act. The cameragraph at both parks has new motion pictures.

One-Armed Man Lands His Man.

Constable George Webb, the one-armed officer in Alderman David Thomas' office in Woods Run, Allegheny, had a fierce battle yesterday afternoon in Federal street with William Hill, colored, of Wylie avenue. The latter is wanted on a charge of false pretense, preferred by M. W. Rodgers, a Sixth street business man, who asserts Hill passed a worthless check for $2 on him. Webb and his prisoner rolled in the street for several minutes before Hill was handcuffed and taken to jail to await a hearing.

HOMESTEAD AGAIN LOOKS FOR A PUBLIC OFFICIAL

Homestead is again in need of a superintendent of public works, Supt. William Tunstall having given notice yesterday that he will resign September 1 and return to the Union railroad. Mr. Tunstall has held the job three weeks, retiring as chairman of council and councilman from the Fourth ward, to take it. He succeeded E. B. Lyon, who resigned because of too much interference by politicians.

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DAN, chestnut gelding, 2:30¼, by Stride Wilkes.

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STOCK MARKET LESS ACTIVE AND PRICES CLOSE LOWER

Quotations Fluctuated With Conflicting Reports of the Status of Peace Negotiations—Dividend Resumed on Republic Iron Preferred.

By JOHN O. BAGLIN, Financial Editor.

The New York stock market yesterday was less active, the sales falling below 800,000 shares. During the greater part of the session the tone was heavy, but prices were really influenced by the conflicting reports of the status of peace negotiations. A sharp rally occurred in the early part of the afternoon, which carried values to the highest of the session, but the close was lower than on Saturday.

London was a considerable seller of American securities at the opening and prices declined rapidly. Reading led this movement, the stock selling down to 118¾. From this point there was a rally to 120⅝, followed by another reaction, the close being at 119⅝, a loss for the day of 1¼ per cent. Erie held firmer than any of the recently active stocks and closed only ⅛ lower than on Saturday. Baltimore & Ohio also held comparatively steady, closing only ⅛ lower. Pennsylvania closed ¾ lower, at 145½, after selling as high as 146 and as low as 144⅝.

The largest net decline in the granger list was 1¾ per cent in Illinois Central. Atchison sold off from 89½ to 88⅝, in the face of a splendid report for July, but subsequently recovered to 90, the net loss for the day being ⅝ per cent. The fluctuations in the remainder of the railroad list was between 1 and 2 per cent, but the net losses ranged from ¼ to 1 per cent. Union Pacific closed unchanged.

In the industrial list United States Steel stocks held very steady, quickly recovering the early loss and closing only ⅛ lower than on Saturday. Amalgamated Copper was weak in the face of a further advance of ⅛c a pound in the price of the metal. The stock broke from 87¼@87½ to 85¾, and closed at a net loss of 1 per cent. It was thought that some of the selling was based upon the publication of an advertisement by Mr. Lawson, inviting the public to join him in a $10,000,000 "blind pool" for the purpose of speculating on the short side in Amalgamated and Smelting. The latter stock was one of the very few to close at a net advance over Saturday.

The traction stocks were active and firm, Metropolitan selling at 133, the highest of the year, but they subsequently reacted and closed slightly lower for the day.

The rally in the market during the afternoon was on the announcement that Japan had decided to waive its claim for indemnity, and that this was tantamount to the conclusion of a satisfactory peace. Later it was learned that this did not exactly represent the situation; that the reported new offer of Japan carried the proviso that Russia should buy the northern portion of the island of Sakhalin at a price to be determined by a commission. This corrected version of the situation was followed by the reaction in the market which occurred during the closing half hour.

An incident of the day was the resumption of dividends on Republic Iron & Steel preferred, the directors declaring 1¾ per cent, the first since October, 1903. The stock rallied to 90, but reacted to 89½, at which it closed, a net gain of ¼ per cent.

Commodity markets were active. Cotton closed slightly higher. Wheat declined to the lowest on the crop, but closed steady at the decline. Corn also declined, but recovered a portion of the loss.

Call loan rates remained easy at about 2 per cent, the final loan being at 1¾ per cent, but there is a growing feeling that higher rates will prevail, and a flurry at the close of the current week is not improbable.

One half the total business on the Pittsburgh stock exchange was in mining stocks. There were sales of 600 shares United Copper at 36¼ to 37⅛, and the same amount of Tonopah Extension changed hands at $5 50 to $5 55. There were no transactions in Luster Mining, which was quoted at 37 bid, 39⅜ asked. Sewer Pipe, which sold at 34 to 34⅛, was the only stock in the regular list in which the sales amounted to as much as 200 shares. Crucible Steel common was unchanged at 12¾, and the preferred was quoted at 64 bid, 64½ asked. National Fire Proofing preferred was rather heavy at 28¾. Independent Brewing issues were a shade lower, while Pittsburgh Brewing common and preferred held steady and unchanged. There were no transactions in any of the Westinghouse stocks, and Electric closed without even a quotation. Pittsburgh Coal preferred sold at 92 and closed at that price bid. A small lot of Second National Bank sold at 755, a decline of 15 points compared with the last previous sale. There was a fair degree of activity in Pittsburgh, McKeesport & Connellsville bonds at 102, and Independent Brewing bonds sold at 106⅜ to 107.

PITTSBURGH STOCKS.

Sales on the Pittsburgh stock exchange yesterday were as follows:

10:00 A. M. to 10:30 A. M.

$1000 P., McK. & C. 5s 102
5 Dia. Sav. Bk. 190
86 F. Proof pfd. 28¾
99 W. Glass pfd. 41
200 Un. Cop. com. 37
200 do. 37⅛
25 P. Brew. com. 26¼
150 Phila. com. 46½
4100 U. S. Stl. com. 86⅞

10:30 A. M. to 11:00 A. M.

100 U. S. Stl. com. 86⅜ | 5 Second N. B. ... 755
20 Ind. Brw. pfd. 40½

11:00 A. M. to 12:30 P. M.

100 Crucible com. 12¾ | 10 Mfrs. L. & H. 37
13 Ind. Brw. com. 16 | $1000 P., McK. & C. 5s 102
65 P. Coal pfd. 92 | $5000 do. 102
35 do. ..... 92 | $1000 Ind. Brw. 6s. 106⅝
25 F. Proof pfd. 28¾ | 1 U. S. Stl. pfd. 103½

12:30 P. M. to 2:00 P. M.

200 Un. Cop. com. 36½ | 10 P. Brew. com. 26¼
105 Sewer Pipe ... 34 | 50 River Coal pfd. 24½
50 do. ..... 34⅛ | 3 Crucible pfd. 64¼
50 do. ..... 34⅛ | 100 Tonopah Ext. 5.55
2 P. Brew. pfd. 47½

2:00 P. M. to 2:30 P. M.

$3000 Ind. Brw. 6s. 107 | 400 Tonopah Ext. 5.50
$1000 do. ..... 107 | 100 do. 5.50
50 F. Proof pfd. 28¾ | 5 P. Coal pfd. 92¾
10 do. ..... 28¾ | 10 Crucible pfd. 64½

2:30 P. M. to 3:00 P. M.

12 P. Brew. pfd. 48 | 17 Ft. Pitt N. B. 220

Summary.

STOCKS. Sales.	High.	Low.	Last Sale.	Chg.
100 Crucible Steel	12¾	12¾	12¾	0
15 Do preferred	64½	64¼	64¼	+ ¼
125 Fireproof pfd.	28¾	28¾	28¾	— ¼
13 Ind. Brewing	16	16	16	— ¼
20 Do preferred	40½	40½	40½	— ½
10 Mfrs. L. & H.	37	37	37	0
100 Phila. Co., com.	46½	46½	46½	+ ½
55 Pgh. Brewing	26¾	26¾	26¾	0
14 Do preferred	48	*47¾	48	+1¼
165 Pgh. Coal pfd.	*92¾	92	*92¾	— ¼
50 Pgh. Coal pfd.	24½	24½	24½	— ¼
295 Sewer Pipe	34½	34	34½	— ¼
600 Tonopah Ext.	5.58	5.50	5.50	0
600 Union Cop. com.	37⅛	36½	36½	— ¼
200 U. S. Steel	86⅞	86⅝	86⅜	0
1 Do preferred	103½	103½	103⅝	—1¾
60 Window Glass pfd.	41	41	41	0
BANKS.				
5 Diamond Savings	190	190	190	0
17 Ft. Pitt National	220	220	220	0
5 Second National	755	755	755	—15
2280				
BONDS.				
$5000 Ind. Brew. 6s	107	106¾	107	0
16000 P., McK. & C. 5s	102	102	102	0

*Less than 10 shares.

Closing Bids and Offers.

STOCKS.	Par.	Bid.	Ask.
Pittsburgh Banks—			
Bankers Trust	100	76	...
Farmers Deposit National	100	1000	...
First National, Pittsburgh	100	...	600
Fifth Avenue bank	50	78	...
Iron & Glass Dollar Savings	100	...	315
Iron City Trust	100	...	158
Merchants Savings and Trust	50	...	95
Pittsburgh Trust	100	...	640
Second National, Pittsburgh	100	...	760
Miscellaneous—			
Am. Window Glass pfd.	100	40	41
American Sewer Pipe	100	34⅛	...
Crucible Steel	100	12¾	12¾
Do preferred	100	64	64½
Luster Mining	10	37	39⅜
Manufacturers Light & Heat	9 50	36⅝	37
Marsden	100	...	4⅝
Monongahela River Coal	50	24	...
National Fireproofing pfd.	50	28¼	28⅝
Ohio Fuel Supply	25	42½	43
Pittsburgh Oil and Gas	100	56	57
Philadelphia Company	50	46¾	...
Pgh. Stove & Range pfd.	50	14	18
Pgh. Terminal Warehouse	100	84	105
Pittsburgh Brewing	50	26½	26½
Pittsburgh Coal	100	...	14⅝
Do preferred	100	62	62¼
Tonopah Extension Mining	1	5.50	...
Ohio Tonopah	1	...	30
Union Switch and Signal	50	...	87
Do preferred	50	100	...
United States Glass	100	...	60½
United States Steel	100	36⅛	...
Do preferred	100	102⅜	104⅛
Westinghouse Air Brake	50	...	149
Independent Brewing	50	...	16½
Do preferred	50	40	40½
United Copper	100	36¾	37
BONDS			
Monongahela L. and P. 6s	...	101	...
P., McK. & C. 1st 5s	...	102	105½
Philadelphia Company 5s	...	111½	...
Pittsburgh Brewing 6s	...	...	112½
Ind. Brewing 6s	...	...	107
Pgh. & Alle. Tel. 5s	...	82	...
O., C. & S. Fipe 5s	...	87	...

THE MONEY MARKET.

The local money market remains steady and unchanged at 5@6 per cent on call and time loans. Clearing house comparisons:

	Exchanges.	Balances.
Yesterday	$6,848,000 08	$2,023,817 55
Last week	6,753,143 53	1,519,720 28
Last year	5,647,359 33	1,574,872 64

Banks and the Treasury.

NEW YORK, Aug. 28.—(Special.)—In redemption of checks drawn by depositors of gold at the Seattle assay office, today's official records show that the sub-treasury paid out Saturday $5,877; total thus paid since Friday, $35,176, against $93,272 for the same period a week ago; total payment by government to New York banks for the day, $3,418,000; payment by banks to government, $4,682,000; balance on the day's transactions, $679,000, paid by banks to government; total net payment by banks to government since Friday, $1,392,000, against $572,000 paid by government to banks for the corresponding period a week ago. Included in the foregoing summary is $500,000, deposited by banks with the sub-treasury for payment at interior points. Total thus deposited since Friday, $1,209,000.

New York Money Market.

NEW YORK, Aug. 28.—Money on call steady at 2 per cent; closing bid and offered, 2 per cent; time loans firm; 60 days, 3¾ per cent; 90 days, 3½ per cent; six months, 4 per cent; mercantile paper, 4¼@4½ per cent. Sterling exchange easy, with actual business in bankers' bills, at $4 86.50 for demand and at $4 84.65 for 60 days' bills. Posted rates, $4 85½ and $4 87½; commercial bills, $4 84½. Silver, New York, 62¼c; Mexican dollars, 47c. Government bonds steady; railroad bonds irregular.

Treasury Statement.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 28.—Today's statement of the treasury balances in the general fund, exclusive of the $150,000,000 gold reserve, shows available cash balance, $126,635,241; gold coin and bullion, $63,278,285; gold certificates, $27,781,260; silver coin and bullion, $16,701,701; silver certificates, $7,961,793; United States notes, $14,428,689; treasury notes of 1890, $63,137; national bank notes, $17,496,712; total receipts this month, $42,560,427; total receipts this year, $81,652,971; total expenditures this month, $47,180,509; total expenditures this year, $110,308,736.

Government Receipts.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 28.—National bank notes received today for redemption, $822,716; government receipts from internal revenue, $1,106,756; customs, $1,396,863; miscellaneous, $98,113; expenditures, $1,750,096.

Standard Investment Bonds.

The Colonial Trust Company, No. 317 Fourth avenue, Pittsburgh, Pa., has for sale a variety of bonds yielding the purchaser from 3½ to 6 per cent, which it recommends as desirable investments. Inquire of Alexander C. Thompson, manager bond department.

FEATURES OF THE DAY

IN PITTSBURGH

Bank exchanges increased more than $1,000,000 for the day.

Stock market remained extremely dull and narrow.

Half the total sales consisted of mining shares.

No transactions recorded in any of the Westinghouse stocks.

Steel, Brewing and Coal shares were only fractionally changed.

IN WALL STREET

Stock market less active and prices closed lower all around.

Sales included 811,800 shares stock and $2,585,000 bonds.

Prices fluctuated with conflicting rumors relating to peace.

Dividends resumed on Republic Iron and Steel preferred.

Another advance in copper, but Amalgamated closed lower.

NOTES AND COMMENT.

More than one-third of the transactions in the New York bond market yesterday were in the Japanese issues. Fluctuations were wider than for some time past, and were regarded as a barometer of the progress of peace negotiations. All issues were extremely weak during the early part of the day, and the individual transactions were in smaller amounts than usual of late, indicating some anxiety on the part of investors. Later in the day, however, there was a recovery, and at the close the only issue to show a decline was the second series 4s, which were ⅜ per cent lower than the close on Saturday. The most active dealings were in the first series 4½s, which sold to the extent of $907,000 at prices ranging from 89½ to 90, the final sale showing an advance of ⅛ over Saturday. The second series 4½s declined to 88¾, or just 1 per cent above the subscription price last month, but recovered to 89⅜. In London consols were lower and in Paris rentes declined slightly.

Private dispatches from New York yesterday stated that while the supply of call money at 2 per cent was apparently ample, there was a growing feeling that rates would be higher in the near future. It would not be surprising if some advances should occur on Thursday, the last day of the month, as there is always some shifting of loans at the month end. The bank statement on Saturday showed the smallest surplus reserves for any corresponding week since 1896. And while it is acknowledged that the weekly returns are not as fair a criterion of general money market conditions as in former years, owing to the growth of the trust companies' business, still it is apparent that control of the situation is largely in the hands of a few large banks. There are five national banks in New York city whose aggregate loans foot up $834,000,000, or more than half the total of all the banks in the clearing house. Two of these banks are credited with being directly interested in stock market operations, and the other three have large country bank accounts. The National City bank alone has loans of $202,000,000. It is a large factor on Wall street, and apparently can boast it could of itself determine the course of the stock market by calling a large amount of loans and thus changing the complexion of the money market.

The reaction yesterday apparently had the tacit if not open sympathy of strong interests, as was shown in the absence of support at the most critical stages of the early session. In spite of contrary statements it is now the opinion of observant bankers that the year's crop requirements from New York will be quite large, if not larger than last year. While there is as yet no ground for the belief that the banks are likely to advance money rates abruptly, it is believed that money for speculative purposes will be offered less freely.

The chief points of weakness at the opening were Reading, which yielded 2 points, St. Paul 4, Great Northern preferred 3 and New York Central 2½, the balance of the list trailing along at recessions of 1 to 2 points.

In the local curb market there were sales of 3,900 shares Oriental & Masbate Gold Mining at 55c and that price was bid for more. Public offers were made of 4506 to call 10,000 shares at $1 a share in six months and $1,000 to call 20,000 shares at the same price within the same time. The activity in the stock was stimulated by a cablegram received by President John B. Barbour, Jr., stating that the company's boat was afloat and progress was being made in setting up the machinery of the dredge.

Among unlisted stocks the following unofficial quotations were reported: American Window Glass Machine 10 bid, 12½ asked; do preferred, 35 asked; Fayette County Gas, 93 asked; Union Natural Gas, 105 bid, 110 asked; Golden Anchor, 93c bid, 95c asked.

Fort Pitt National bank sold at 220 and there was some demand for the stock at that price bid. A small lot of Diamond Savings bank sold at 190, which was unchanged from the last previous sale.

At a meeting of the directors of the Republic Iron and Steel Company in Chicago yesterday a dividend of 1¾ per cent on the preferred stock was declared. It is understood that this is a quarterly dividend and that the management feels that the company is sufficiently strong to continue the rate. The dividend on this stock was suspended in 1903, at about the same time the dividend on Crucible Steel preferred was passed.

Union Pacific will be quoted ex-dividend of 2½ per cent today.

Among the day's railway returns was that of Chicago & Northwestern, whose preliminary statement for the fiscal year showed but a slight increase of net income over the previous year. Reports of gross returns for July by a number of minor lines were about equally divided as to losses and gains.

Gross earnings of Atchison for July increased $547,077 and net earnings increased $75,253.

Central of Georgia reports for July an increase of $132,209 in gross and $79,571 in net earnings.

Gross earnings of Southern Railway for the third week in August increased $61,224.

A number of brokers are back from their vacations. A. E. Masten has returned from the seashore. Clarence Morrow reached the city after an extended trip through Canada. John O'Neill is home from New Hampshire. E. C. H. Schmidt and S. L. Bolsky spent their vacations in Atlantic City.

There were in 1904, 318,735 holders of national banks stock aggregating $779,284,225 divided into 8,854,404 shares. The number of persons thus financially interested in the profits of national banking in the United States is very large. However, there has been since 1897 a large increase in the average holdings of each shareholder. Up to that time there had been for 20 years a gradual decline in the average holdings showing a narrower distribution of stock, and there was a large decrease between 1894 and 1896, one of the results probably of the depression of that period. In 1896 the average number of shares held by each stockholder was 21.82. In 1897 this had fallen to 22.50. In 1904 the average individual holding was 27.72 shares.

The opinion prevails in Wall street that an operation is being conducted by some large speculators which partly explains the active demand for the new convertible bonds and the rather heavy selling of Pennsylvania stock last week. This operation consists in going short of the stock and buying the bonds as a hedge. The houses which are conducting this operation take the ground that there is little danger of much decline in the bonds even should there be a sharp reaction in the general market while, in the event of an upward movement in the stock, conversion could be made with comparatively little loss even after the price had crossed 100. It is not argued that Pennsylvania is relatively higher than other stocks of the same class, but that on general principles a reaction must soon come and that there is here an opportunity to gamble on the short side with little risk of loss.

New York Curb Stocks.

(Reported by Henry Sproul & Co.)

Amer. Tin Can	11⅜	Otis Elevator	62
Do preferred	70⅜	Do preferred	108
Bay State Gas	3-16	Seaboard Air Line	24½
Electric Vehicle	18½	Do preferred	57
Do preferred	23½	Standard Oil	617
Greene Con. Cop.	5½	Tennessee Copper	34
Interborough	214	Tonopah	13½
Int. Mer. Mar.	12⅛	Bethlehem Steel	29
Do preferred	29½	Do preferred	55
International Salt	24	Greene Gold	4⅞
Do 5s	93	United Copper	37
North. Securities	185½		

Government Bonds.

U. S. ref. 2s, reg.	104½	U. S. new 4s, reg.	135
Do coupon	104½	Do coupon	135
U. S. 3s, reg.	107½	U. S. old 4s, reg.	110½
Do coupon	107½	Do coupon	110½

COMPLETE RECORD OF THE NEW YORK STOCKS

Daily range of prices, reported by Messrs. Henry Sproul & Co., Peoples Building, members of New York, Philadelphia, Pittsburgh and Chicago stock exchanges and Chicago board of trade.

Sales.		Open.	High.	Low.	Last Sale.
4800	A., T. & S. F.	89½	90	89⅜	89⅝
500	Do preferred	104⅜	104⅝	104⅛	104⅜
100	Am. Cotton Oil	...	...	...	...
200	Am. Steel Fdy.	143¾	143¾	143½	143⅝
400	Am. Locomotive	39⅛	39⅝	39⅛	39⅜
200	Do preferred	124½	125⅜	124½	125⅜
1400	Am. Car Foundry	37⅞	38⅛	37⅞	38⅛
100	Do preferred	120⅛	120⅛	120⅛	120⅛
12000	Amal. Copper	87¼	87¾	85¾	86⅛
22500	Am. Sm. & Ref.	129⅜	130⅜	128⅞	129⅝
4300	Do preferred	125⅜	125⅞	125⅛	125⅝
17500	Balto. & Ohio	118	119⅜	117⅞	118⅛
2400	Brook. Rap. Tran.	74⅜	75⅛	74⅛	74⅝
3600	Can. Pac.	160	161	159	159
1800	Ches. & Ohio	52	52	51⅞	52
200	C., C., C. & St. L.	110⅜	110⅜	110⅜	110⅜
2800	Chesa. & Ohio	50½	50⅝	50⅛	50⅜
100	Chi. & N. W.	222	222	222	222
900	Col. F. & Iron	47⅜	48	47⅜	48
200	Corn Prod. pfd.	...	...	...	...
200	Del. Northern	...	...	...	...
200	Do preferred	93⅜	93⅜	93⅜	93⅜
500	Do 2d preferred	84⅞	84⅞	84⅜	84⅜
600	Del. & Hudson	159	159	159	159
43000	Erie	30⅞	31⅛	30⅝	30⅞
700	Do 1st preferred	43⅝	44	43⅝	44
4300	Do 2d preferred	37⅛	37⅜	37⅛	37⅜
200	General Electric	181½	182⅜	181½	182⅜
1200	Illinois Central	144⅞	145⅜	143⅝	144⅛
100	Iowa Central	28	28	28	28
	Do preferred	67¾	67¾	67¾	67¾
400	Int. Paper	15⅞	16⅛	15⅞	16⅛
800	Internat. Paper	40⅜	40⅜	40⅛	40⅛
4600	Louis. & Nash.	153⅛	153⅝	152⅜	153⅛
100	Manhattan	140	140⅜	139⅝	140⅜
9200	Missouri Pacific	107⅜	108⅛	107⅜	108⅛
44100	Metropolitan	132⅝	133	132⅛	132⅝
11700	Do securities	82⅜	82⅝	82⅛	82⅜
1900	Mexican Central	25⅜	25⅝	25⅛	25⅜
2800	National Lead	44	44	44	44
	Nat. Biscuit	145	145⅜	144½	145
	N. Y. Airbrake	132⅝	133⅜	132⅝	133⅜
9200	N. Y. Central	137⅜	138⅛	137⅜	137⅞
1700	N. Y. Central rts.	2⅜	2⅜	2⅜	2⅜
2500	N. Y. O. & W.	38	38	37⅝	37⅝
800	Norfolk & West.	65⅜	65⅝	65	65⅛
1700	North American	104	104	103⅝	103⅝
1400	Peoples Gas	105	105⅜	105	105⅜
2200	Pacific Mail	46⅜	46⅝	46⅛	46⅜
1600	Pressed Steel Car	47⅜	48⅛	47⅜	48⅛
200	Do preferred	93⅜	93⅜	93⅜	93⅜
52400	Penna. R. R.	140⅜	140⅞	140⅜	140⅞
	Railway Springs	37⅜	37⅜	37⅜	37⅜
	Do preferred	93⅜	93⅜	93⅜	93⅜
100965	Reading	127	127⅝	118¾	119⅝
400	Do 1st preferred	91⅜	91⅜	91⅜	91⅜
4200	Do 2d preferred	84⅜	84⅜	84⅛	84⅛
6200	Rock Island	24	24⅜	23⅞	24⅛
2400	Do preferred	49	49⅛	48⅞	49
4900	Republic Iron	27⅝	28⅜	27⅝	28⅜
	Do preferred	89	90	89	89⅝
13300	Southern Pacific	65⅜	65⅝	65⅛	65⅜
2700	Southern Railway	25	25⅜	25	25⅜
200	Do preferred	69	69	69	69
	St. Paul	169⅞	170⅜	169⅜	169⅝
200	St. Louis & S. F.	34⅜	34⅜	34⅜	34⅜
200	Do preferred	74⅜	74⅜	74⅜	74⅜
4000	Tenn. Coal & Iron	91⅛	91⅝	91	91⅜
200	Texas & Pacific	27⅜	27⅜	27⅜	27⅜
	T. St. L. & W. pfd.	49	49	49	49
76400	U. S. Steel	37	37⅜	36⅞	37⅛
	Do preferred	104⅜	104⅝	104⅛	104⅜
21300	Do 2d pfd. bonds	87⅞	88	87⅝	87⅞
94700	Union Pacific	132⅜	133⅛	132⅜	133⅛
1600	U. S. Rubber	25⅜	25⅝	25⅜	25⅝
700	Do preferred	119⅝	119⅝	119	119
	U. S. Cr. Tran.	31	31	31	31
	Do preferred	87⅜	87⅜	87⅜	87⅜
200	Wabash	21⅜	22⅛	21⅜	22
1600	Do preferred	43	44	43	44
200	W. & L. E.	17⅝	17⅝	17⅝	17⅝
2200	Wisconsin Cent.	30⅜	30⅜	30⅛	30⅛
1900	Do preferred	59⅜	59⅜	59⅛	59⅛
	Pittsburg Coal	14	14	14	14
2700	Northern Pacific	211½	211½	210	211
	Am. Woolen Co.	27⅜	27⅜	27⅜	27⅜
	Gt. Northern pfd.	225	225½	225	225½

INACTIVE LIST.

700	Am. Steel Fdy.	...	39½	39⅜	39½
100	Do preferred	...	104½	104½	104½
800	Am. H. & L. pfd.	...	29⅜	29⅜	29⅜
100	Am. Malt pfd.	...	10	10	10
1600	Am. Wool	...	28⅜	28⅛	28⅜
200	Am. Tobacco pfd.	...	107½	107½	107½
700	At. Coast Line	...	147½	146	147½
100	C. Cr. Tran.	...	87	87	87
300	C. Ter. Tran. pfd.	...	37	34½	34½
100	D. & R. G. pfd.	...	89	89	89
400	D. Union Pa.	...	84⅜	84⅜	84⅜
200	Det. So. Ry. ctfs.	...	19⅜	19⅜	19⅜
	Do preferred	...	49	49	49
100	Fuel & Iron	...	37⅜	37⅜	37⅜
100	Federal pfd.	...	94½	94½	94½
700	K. & T.	...	24⅜	24⅜	24⅜
200	Do preferred	...	58	57⅞	58
1300	Kinck. Irr. Co.	...	32	32	32
300	M. S. P. & S. S. M.	...	137⅜	137⅜	137⅜
200	Do preferred	...	146	146	146
	M. K. & T.	...	29	29	29
600	M. & St. L.	...	39	38	38
	M. K. & T. com.	...	28	28	28
100	N. Y. Airbrake	...	132	132	132
3600	N. Y. Central	...	137⅝	137⅜	137⅝
200	Do 2d pfd.	...	114	114	114
100	Pgh. Cal.	...	14	14	14
100	Sloss	...	31	31	31
100	Do preferred	...	107	107	107
500	Third Avenue	...	123	123	123
400	Twin City	...	117½	117	117
	Va. Car.—Chem.	...	32¾	32¾	32¾

Total, 32,421,538

Boston Stocks and Bonds.

Atchison	89⅜	Amer. Sugar pfd.	147
Do preferred	95½	Am. Tel. & Tel.	142½
Boston & Albany	255	American Woolen	27
Boston & Maine	215½	Do preferred	93½
*Fitchburg pfd.	140½	Dom. Iron & Steel	22⅝
Maine Central	125	Edison Elec.	280
N. Y., N. H. & H.	207½	Mass. Electric	33
Union Pacific	130⅞	United Fruit	130⅜
Am. Agr. Chem.	22½	United Shoe Mach.	39⅝
*Do preferred	94½	Do preferred	40½
Am. Pneu. Tube	7⅝	U. S. Steel	36⅝
American Sugar	140½	Do preferred	94⅝

*Ask. †Bid.

Chicago Stocks.

American Can	11½	Nat. Biscuit pfd.	132
Do preferred	86½	Nat. Tel. & Tel.	142
Chicago Subway	87	Northwest pfd.	144
National Biscuit	145		

STOCKS IN WALL STREET UNDERGO SHARP REACTION

Partial Recovery Experienced, Though Most Issues Close at Declines.

[BY PRIVATE WIRE TO THE GAZETTE.]

NEW YORK, Aug. 29.—The Herald this (Tuesday) morning says:

Stocks underwent a sharp reaction yesterday in the early trading, and then enjoyed a partial but irregular recovery. Most issues closed at declines, and the final tendency was heavy. In a general way the break was attributed to the prevailing sentiment of pessimism as to the outcome of the peace negotiations, which prevailed both in Europe and America. Similarly the rally was attributed to a report that Japan had waived the question of indemnity. This was later explained as simply the revamping of the Japanese proposition of last week as to the sale of a portion of the sterile and uninhabited island of Saghalin at a price that would amount to an indemnity, and which has already been rejected. The day's business was highly professional, with activity much curtailed. Reports that the market had been supported on the decline were generally credited.

Aside from the various changes which were put on the prospects of the Portsmouth peace negotiations, there was little in the way of news in yesterday's market. The pessimistic attitude of the foreign markets reflected in the lower quotations for Americans in London and the selling of some stock for foreign account, were chiefly instrumental for the easy break. The recovery followed on the report of brighter peace prospects, but there was nothing authentic on this point. Traffic movements at Chicago were reported as excellent, and crop and weather advices were generally favorable. The fact that money, after the sharp advance of the call rate on Friday and the poor bank statement of Saturday, showed no signs of further hardening, but rather relaxed, was favorably viewed by traders, and assisted in the recovery of prices. Pool and clique up-bidding, however, was the chief feature in the rally.

NOTHING WRONG IN KANSAS.

Value of Manufactured Products Increases Almost Forty Million Dollars.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 28.—A bulletin on the manufacturing industries of Kansas was issued today by the census bureau. It shows that in the state, at the beginning of the present year, there were 2,472 manufacturing establishments as against 2,091 in 1900, and that the value of the products has increased during the period of comparison from $154,095,304 to $188,473,117.

The wage earners in the state in this line of industry number 35,105 as against 27,989 in 1900, and the wages paid them aggregate $18,659,579 as against $12,795,531. The total capital employed increased from $59,457,081 to $84,945,750.

TRACTION COMPANY TO TRY THE STEEL TIES

NEW YORK, Aug. 28.—(Special.)—The St. Louis Traction Company has ordered 1,500 steel ties from the Carnegie company as an experiment. It is said the cost of the steel tie at present is about $2, or twice the cost of a wooden tie. However, it is claimed the steel tie has about three times the life of a wooden tie. Manufacturers say that if steel ties are generally adopted the cost will be lowered to a par with structural material.

Purchase Valuable Painting.

BERLIN, Aug. 28.—The national gallery has bought Mensel's "Court Ball Supper," of Emil Meiner of Dresden, for $40,000.

Electric Stocks at Boston.

Westinghouse com.	85½	Mass. Electric	33
General Electric	182	Do preferred	61

First Mortgage Bonds.

Commonwealth Trust Company, No. 327 Fourth avenue, is offering to investors choice first mortgage bonds, yielding 5 to 6½ per cent.

Wetzel County West Virginia Produces a 225 Barrel Well

Developments in the lower southwest fields have for so many months been productive of nothing better than light wells that one above the average attracts considerable attention and is deserving of special mention. On Buffalo run, Grant district, Wetzel county, the Kanawha Oil Company has one of this kind at its No. 10 on the John Mills tract. The well was drilled into the Gordon last Saturday, and is flowing at the rate of 225 barrels a day. The new well has not been drilled through the sand, but it has probably got all the oil it will get.

Near Burton, on Churchs Fork Church district, Wetzel county, the Wheeling Natural Gas Company has drilled its test on the Butcher's heirs' farm through the Gordon and has a good gasser. On the same stream and in the same district the Philadelphia company has drilled its No. 2 on the S. J. Elliott farm through the Big Injun and has a fair gasser.

At Smithburg, Doddridge county, J. E. Trainer has completed a town lot test and has a light gasser in the Gordon. About two miles southeast of West Union the Philadelphia company has drilled its test on the Lewis Maxwell farm through all sands and has a duster. Near Sedalia, in the same county, the Philadelphia company has completed a test on the Ben Bates farm and has a duster.

On the west side of the Wolf Summit field, in Harrison county, the South Penn company has completed its No. 2 on the J. W. Mortice farm and has a 30-barrel producer in the Gordon.

In the Fairview district, Marion county, the South Penn Oil Company has drilled its No. 8 on the W. R. Shuman farm 11 feet into the fifth sand and the hole has filled up 200 feet with fluid. In the same district the same company has drilled its second test on the Catherine Cunop farm eight feet deeper into the fourth sand and got a second pay and will have a 20-barrel producer.

On Muddy creek, Ellsworth district, Tyler county, I. M. Underwood & Co. have put their test on the Ruth Weekley farm to pumping from the Big Injun and it is producing eight barrels a day.

On Sugar creek, Meade district, Tyler county, Root & Duff Brothers have drilled their second test on the Mansfield Ash farm into the Big Injun pay and have a show for a 100-barrel producer. The well has

WABASH DEAL IS MUCH DISCUSSED

George J. Gould Secures Miller Holdings in East Carson Street for $28,290.

EAST END HOUSE BOUGHT

Rumors of Wabash deals were revived yesterday by the news that the Albert P. Miller property, on the south side of East Carson street, Thirtieth ward, had been sold to George J. Gould, president of the Wabash interests, for $28,290. The deal was, in fact, made over six months ago, but no information concerning it leaked out until the registry of the deed. According to the statements of Wabash officials yesterday, it has no special significance at this time, as the property will not be used for railroad purposes at present, and may never be thus utilized.

An impression gained credence among the gossips the deal had something to do with the contest between the Wabash and the Pittsburgh & Lake Erie interests, which has been waging some time, but this is not the case. The Miller property, a lot 18x50 feet, is one of several on the south side of Carson street, just above the Birmingham station of the Panhandle railroad, which were purchased after the Wabash got its ordinances through city councils providing overhead tracks near this point. The lot runs back to the elevated tracks of the Panhandle, and is improved with a brick building occupied now as a saloon. The other nearby lots referred to were bought before this purchase, but all the deals have not been closed.

Through the Samuel W. Black Company, Attorney William W. Wishart has bought from Mrs. Jane L. Hartzell her property at the southwest corner of College Avenue and Howe street, Twenty-third ward, for $3,000. The purchase was made for a home, and Mr. Wishart secures a modern 12-room brick and frame residence on a lot 60x110 feet.

Good Houses for Allegheny.

George T. McDonald has started work on the first of the 12 houses which will be built this fall by the Brighton Heights Land Company on the old Walker property, which it recently bought, and is now grading. The house, as well as several of the others to follow, will face in Termon avenue, with all be a 10-room reception-hall brick, with all modern conveniences. The house will stand on lots 50 and 60x150 feet, and none of them will cost less than $7,000 each. It is expected work on the others will be started early in September. The work of grading the plan has been nearly completed, and announcement of the opening sale of lots will be made in a few days. Aside from the large size of the lots, the boulevard privileges planned will add greatly to the attractiveness of the property for first-class home sites.

On the other side of California avenue, on the Walker place plan, Mr. McDonald has let the contract to Fred Thibron for the erection of four 10-room houses of different designs, to cost $7,500 each. They will face in Termon avenue, about a square from California avenue, and will stand on 50-foot lots. The houses will be completed for occupancy in December.

Look for a Busy Fall.

The prospects of an active season in building this fall are improving, according to the statements of the best posted local architects. The volume of work early in the summer was much smaller than expected, but during the last six weeks the inquiry from clients has been remarkably good in view of the summer heat, and most of the work is getting to a point where it will soon be ready for estimates. There is much less hesitancy in going forward with work than a year ago, when high prices were a bugbear that held back many prospective builders, in general this excuse is banished now, not because prices are noticeably lower along any line, but because the urgent need of the buildings planned is driving the owners to action. From present indications there will be some large contracts let during September, both for business and residences, and most architects believe more work will be figured during that month than during the corresponding period last year.

Palmer & Hornbostel are receiving bids on a two-story stone and terra cotta chapel for the First Presbyterian church at Forbes and Seneca streets, to cost about $50,000.

S. B. Eisendrath is taking bids on a $40,000 hall for the Montefiore Hall Association of Odd Fellows.

The United States Glass Company has awarded the contract to L. Benz & Brother for a brick warehouse at Ninth and Bingham streets, South Side.

Homer street—Thomas A. Coleman sold to J. G. Ashbrook an improved lot, 80x118 feet, in Homer street, near Haights avenue, Nineteenth ward, for $7,600.

Glenwood avenue—Harry M. Wiley sold to James R. Irvin an improved lot, 20x125, in Glenwood avenue, Twenty-third ward, for $3,125.

Kedron avenue—John C. Knipp sold to Herman Kuepper an improved lot, 20x93 feet, in Kedron avenue, Twenty-first ward, for $3,900.

Rosetta street—Joseph Dunn sold to Thomas C. Bradley an improved lot, 41x115 feet, in Rosetta street, Nineteenth ward, for $2,100.

Wakefield street—John M. Wilson sold to Andrew Kubiski 26x100 feet in Wakefield street, Fourteenth ward, for $1,400.

Important Sale in McKeesport.

In order to secure possession of its property at Fifth avenue and Walnut street, which was purchased some time ago, the Peoples Bank of McKeesport yesterday purchased outright the 5 and 10-cent store of Muir & Co. for about $8,000.

The building is to be torn down and a new steel and stone structure erected. The corner will be occupied by the Peoples bank, while other portions of the building will be rented as business and office apartments.

Transfers Recorded.

Sarah J Anderson to R H Boggs, June 28, 1st ward, Allegheny, 22x80, Middle alley ..... $ 6,000
F Louis to E O Milley, June 10, 3rd ward, Pittsburgh, 25x100, Grace st..... 900
E R Wallace to Wm J Smith, June 28, Bellevue, 40x149, Sherman ave..... 3,000
Knoxville L Impt Co to J P Moore, Aug 1, Knoxville, 26x100, St Charles st..... 1,250
Homestead Park Land Co to Olive E Weat, July 15, Mifflin twp, 8 lots, Homestead Park plan..... 7,500
Same to Robt T Glass, July 15, Mifflin twp, 7 lots, Homestead Park plan..... 7,300
Geo L Miller to H Stevenson, Aug 17, Sheraden, 25x118, Chartiers ave..... 4,800
Wm Benson to Joseph Pawelek, Aug 22, Braddock, 25x137, Talbot ave..... 3,300
Finance Com Diocese of Pittsburgh to James Brown, Aug 15, 20th ward, Pittsburgh, 24x154, Penn ave..... 7,600
G W Kredell to David Page, Jan 7, Pittsburgh, 60x20, Dauphin st..... 2,250
J M Giles to Geo W Kredell, Jan 5, Pittsburgh, 60x20, Dauphin st..... 2,500
G H Willinger to Maria Ulmer, Aug 21, 28th ward, Pittsburgh, 24x120, Carson st. 5,000
Maria Ulmer to Geo H Willinger, Aug 21, 28th ward, Pittsburgh, 24x120, Carson st. 8,500
M Mohr to J Schneider, May 19, 16th ward, Pittsburgh, 20x30, School st..... 2,000
W W Hunter to Chas T Moore, Aug 16, 2nd ward, McKeesport, 27x102, Huey st. 2,300
Wm T Pierce to same, Aug 5, 2nd ward, McKeesport, 55x153, Huey st..... 5,500
Aspinwall Delafield C to S L Davis, Aug 8, O'Hara twp, 40x100, Lexington ave..... 1,320
Jno Blackadore to R J Moorhead, July 1, 37th ward, Pittsburgh, 25x93, Idlewild ave..... 4,500
Albert Curry to Harry Davis, July 31, 2nd ward, Pittsburgh, 20x90, Grant st.. 65,000
Christ Dieter to A Welgand, Aug 18, 7th ward, Allegheny, 22x121, Diana st. 2,650
G J Shaffer to School dist. Verona, Aug 25, Verona, 150x274, First ave..... 3,900
M G Findley to Richard Nuttall, Aug 21, 2nd ward, Allegheny, 21x13, Ellsworth street..... 2,500
John Sturdy to D T Birch, Aug 18, Chartiers twp, 100x120, Middletown road.... 900
L J Remaley to C M Fair, Feb 8, Verona, 65x122, Parker st..... 1,500
Geo P Roberts to J G Meehling, Aug 28, Chartiers twp, 50x115, Stanley st..... 850
S Schratz to Alex Parkhill, Aug 12, 10th ward, Allegheny, 20x202, Morrison ave. 950
Jno W Milligan to C J Boucek, Aug 29, Swissvale, 35x115, Woodstock ave..... 1,000

Coffee and Sugar.

NEW YORK, Aug. 28.—The market for coffee futures opened steady at unchanged prices to an advance of 5 points on steady European cables and moderate Brazilian port receipts. But the increased demand expected following the evening up of September did not appear to be materializing, and later the market eased off under realizing which was promoted by larger Sao Paulo receipts. Sales are reported of 8,926 bags, including September at 7.20@7.25c; October at 7.35@7.40c; December at 7.50@7.60c; January at 7.65c; March at 7.75@7.80c; May at 7.85@8.00c, and July, 7.95@8.10c. Spot Rio steady; mild steady. Sugar, raw quiet; fair refining, 3⅝c; centrifugal, 96 test, 3 31-32@4.00c; molasses sugar, 3½c; refined quiet.

Visible Supply of Grain.

NEW YORK, Aug. 28.—The visible supply of grain Saturday, August 26, as compiled by the New York produce exchange, was as follows: Wheat, 12,912,000 bushels, decrease 816,000 bushels; corn, 3,106,000 bushels, increase 684,000 bushels; oats, 10,374,000 bushels, increase 2,225,000 bushels; rye, 852,000 bushels, decrease 23,000 bushels; barley, 727,000 bushels, increase 67,000 bushels.

Charged to a Tramp.

Fire early yesterday morning destroyed the big barn of W. W. Vance of Frankfort Springs, and stock valued at $3,000 was consumed by the flames. It is thought a tramp sleeping in the barn started the fire.

LOCAL MARKETS HAD NO ENLIVENING FEATURE

Eggs Move Up and Show Much Stronger Condition—Other Lines Are Firm.

There were no exciting features in the local markets yesterday. Prices suffered no changes and trade was the usual Monday affair. Eggs were stronger and the quotation was advanced a cent. Some dealers claim to be getting a cent more for real choice selected fresh. This is no doubt correct. The man who can deliver eggs right from the hen just now can get from 25 to 30 cents a dozen from plenty of dealers. They are at premium because there are none. When there are some the price will drop.

Butter remained steady yesterday, the Elgin board affecting no change in prices. Cheese was also a firm market and sales are said to be much in excess of what they have been for a couple of years.

Green goods and produce showed no changes. Chickens are up a cent a pound on live ones and springers, but aside from these quotations yesterday remained the same. In the grocery line there were no changes. Flour is as weak as ever and sugar and coffee as strong. Dealers are looking for a rapid move in sugar about the last of this week, when the concessions ordered by one concern will end.

HAY AND GRAIN.

Receipts.

Receipts yesterday were: Pennsylvania, 42 cars hay, 8 cars corn, 25 cars oats, 3 cars straw, 5 cars feed, 2 cars rye. Baltimore & Ohio, 4 cars hay, 3½ cars corn, 4½ cars oats. Lake Erie, 2 cars hay, 3 cars corn, 11 cars oats, 2 cars rye.

Light receipts for Monday made no effect on the market. Although oats are in heavy arrival, there was no change in price. The demand for hay continues good and that for millfeed and straw is slow.

No. 1 timothy ....$12.00@12.25	White middlings, No. 4, ton....$19.75@20.00
No. 2 ..... 11.50@12.00	No. 2 middlings ...$17.25@17.75
No. 1 clover..10.75@11.25	No. 1 feed ..... 16.50@17.00
No. 1 mixed..10.75@11.25	Bran, ton....$16.00@16.50
Straw, oat ...$6.50@7.00	Wheat, No. 2 red,
do wheat....$6.00@7.00	new, at mill..75@80c
do rye .....$7.50@8.00	Corn—Yellow
New No. 2 white oats ..... 32½@33c	ear .....61½@62c
New No. 3 white oats ....29@29½c	High mixed.....60½@61c
	Yellow ear .....58½@60c

PROVISIONS.

Hams.	Breakfast bacon,
18 lbs and up.....12¾c	back strips 12¾c
Over 14 to 18 lbs....12c	Dry salt sides, extra
Over 10 to 14 lbs..12¼c	short clears 10c
10 lbs and under...12½c	Bellies, 20 to 25
Skinned 13c	lbs. 10¼c
Boneless rolled ..13½c	do 16 to 20 lbs....10½c
California 8½c	do under 16 lbs...10½c
Shoulders, N. Y.,	Dry salt smoked
cut 8½c	sides, extra
do skinned 9c	short clears 11c
Ribs, 8 to 10 lbs...13¼c	Bellies, 20 to 25
do 10 to 12 lbs...12¾c	lbs. 11½c
do bacc strips....12c	do 16 to 20 lbs....11½c
do clears, 8 to 10 lbs. 13½c	do under 16 lbs...11½c
do 10 to 12 lbs.....13c	Lard, pure tierces.8¾c

BUTTER, EGGS AND CHEESE.

Butter	do block .....13½@14c
Prints .....28½@21c	do imported ...27@27½c
Tubs .....23@24c	do Limber-
Ohio cream ....20½@21c	ger, new ....12¼@13c
Dairy ..... 14½@15½c	do 5-lb brick,
Cooking ..... 9@11c	new .....12½@13½c
Cheese, N. Y. full	Eggs, selected....20@21c
cream, new.10¼@11c	do southern...17@17½c
do Ohio firm.10¼@11c	Gathering Point Prices:
do ¾ cream,	Dairy butter,
new .....9¾@10c	lb. .....11@12c
do Picnics....11@11½c	Eggs, doz. 16c
do Wis. Swiss,	
tubs .....15@15½c	

SEEDS.

Clover, from store,	Millet,
recleaned, 60-lb	Western .....$1.35@1.50
bu, small..$8.00@8.10	Southern ....$1.25@2.00
do mammoth .....$8.10@8.20	Grass, Hungarian .....90c@$1.00
do crimson..$5.50@5.60	do lawn, lb.....15@18c
do white,	do blue, 15-lb
Dutch ...$2.75@11.50	bu. .....$1.25@1.50
Alsike .....$5.60@8.10	do red top,
Alfalfa .....$8.00@8.25	14-lb bu....$1.10@1.60
	Timothy .....$1.50@1.90

JOBBERS' YARD PRICES.

Potatoes,	do Rocky Fords,
car lots, fancy,	standards ..$4.25@3.50
bbls. .....$1.65@1.75	do corn, b. ...$2.75@3.00
do bu. .....60@65c	Watermelons,
Cantaloupes ...$1.25@1.50	car .....$140.00@200.00
	Peaches, crts..$2.50@2.75

GROCERIES.

Flour.	do cut loaf.....5.6½c
Fancy spg. patent, quarters in paper...$5.75@5.80	do cubes 5.25c
Fancy winter patent .....$4.30@5.00	do coffee A.....5.25c
Rye .....$4.10@4.70	do No. 1 yellow..5.00c
Graham, 10-lb bags .....$2.30@2.50	do No. 2 yellow..4.95c
Cornmeal, bbls. .....$3.00@3.25	Beans.
Rolled oats, bbl....$5.00	Navy, choice, H. P. $1.90
do 10s $2.05	Red kidney ....$1.50@1.60
Roasted Coffee.	Cal. lima, lb....6¼@6¾c
Rio .....12@16c	Peas, dried,
Santos .....20@24c	bu. .....$1.10@1.15
Maracaibo .....15@18c	do split, lb. 3½c
Peaberry .....18@18½c	do marrowfat,
Golden Rio 17c	bu. .....$2.00@2.10
Caracas .....20@20½c	Oil, carbon, 110
Standard, pkgs...11.00c	deg. 10½c
High grade .....18@19c	do headlight 11¼c
Mohaccas, fancy,	do water white..11½c
refined .....25@26c	do Otto W. W.
do choice ....21@24c	150 deg. 11½c
do open kat....27@30c	do Elaine 15c
do 5-lb 26c	Miners' oil, special
do 3-lb .....$1.35@1.65	brands .....26@31c
Fancy syrup ....28@30c	Rice, ex-fancy
Maple sugar, gal .$1.00	head, lb. .....6@6½c
Sug. and cane..21@25c	do fancy,
3-lb cans, doz.....75c	Japan .....1¾@5c
2½-lb cans, doz....90c	do choice
5-lb cans, doz....$1.20	Carolina .....4@6c
10-lb cans, doz....$3.40	Salt, No. 1 bbl.....$1.20
Maple, gal.....$1.00@1.10	do No. 2 extra...$1.20
Sugar, sta. gran..5.40c	do wool sack.....35c
do sugs 5.35c	do packet .....$1.65@1.85
do 2-lb carton....5.55c	do dairy $1.40
do 5-lb bags.....5.55c	Lentils, fancy
do pow'd xxxx...5.55c	"S-O" lb.....6½@5½c
	Sauerkraut,
	40-gal. cask $4.25
	do 15-gal. keg $2.00

CANNED GOODS.

Peaches, sta. pie...$1.00	Raspberries .....85@95c
do pie, gal...$2.50@3.00	Gooseberries .....85@90c
do California,	Tomatoes,
2s .....$1.50@2.25	fancy .....$1.15@1.35
do California,	do standard ....55@60
Y. E. .....$1.90@2.25	do gal. $2.35
Corn, fancy...$1.10@1.20	Succotash, 1-lb
do stand. .....80@90c	cans .....$1.10@1.25
Cherries, California,	Baked beans, cans,
white .....$2.25@2.50	tomato sauce..75@85c
Lima beans....$1.25@1.45	Salmon, doz....95@$1.00
do soaked .....75@80c	do red, 1-lb
String beans.....85@90c	flats .....95@$1.00
do 2-lb .....85@70c	do pink, 1-lb
do 3-lb .....90@95c	talls .....$1.80@2.10
Stringless	Chipped beef..$2.25@3.75
beans .....$1.10@1.60	Corn and roast beef,
Peas, marrowfat .....80@85c	2-lb cans...$2.30@2.40
do early June..75@85c	do 1-lb cans.$1.25@1.30
do soaked .....55@65c	Mackerel,
Plums, California .....$1.40@1.65	broiled ....$1.80@2.50
Appies, N. Y.,	Sardines, domestic, ½s .....$3.10@4.15
gal. cans...$2.50@2.75	do mustards, ⅛s ..$2.60
Pineapples ...$1.25@2.50	do French...$6.50@18.50

POULTRY AND GAME.

Live chickens....14@15c	do capon, lb....28@27c
do springers,	Squab, doz. ...$3.75@4.00
light .....14@15c	do No. 2 ....$2.00@2.25
do heavy .....15@16c	Ducks, muddy $1.25
do roosters .....9@10c	do red head..$1.75@2.00
do turkeys ....16@17c	do canvas-
do geese .....10@12c	back .....$2.75@3.00
do ducks .....14@15c	Impt. golden plover,
do pigeons,	doz. $5.50
doz. .....$1.00@1.25	do black plover...$4.50
Dressed hens ....17@18c	English pheasants,
do springers ...18@19c	per pair $1.25
do roosters .....11@12c	Reed birds, doz....$1.25
do turkeys .....23@22c	Snappers, per lb...8@9c
do Long Island	Pigeons, pair ....10@35c
ducklings 20c	Frogs, doz. ....$2.25@2.50
do ducks .....18@19c	

DRIED FRUITS.

Raisins, 1-lb pkg.8@8½c	Evap. apricots, 25-lb
Evap. peaches, 25-lb	box, choice...10@12c
box, lb. .....10@12c	do fancy .....12@13c
Evap. apples,	Evap. currants,
1-lb pkgs...7¾@8½c	1-lb pkgs ....7½@8c
Evap. apricots,	Prunes, Cal., lb...4@7c
bags, lb. .....5@11c	

FRUITS.

New apples,	do Cal. box...$1.50@2.25
bu. .....75c@$1.00	do Bartletts,
do bbls,	bbls. .....$5.50@6.00
fancy ....$2.00@3.50	Limes,
do choice ..$2.50@2.75	per 100 ....$1.25@1.50
Lemons, Messinas ....$3.50@7.00	Dates, stuffed 10c
do Cal. ..$3.00@3.50	Prunes, Mc-
Oranges, late	10-lb bskt. .....$@5c
Valencias $3.00@5.00	do 25-lb bskt.$1.00@1.25
do Med.,	Fancy, 60s...$2.25@2.50
sweets ....$3.00@5.50	Choice ....$1.75@2.00
Cocoanuts,	do 70s....$1.50@1.75
bags .....$4.25@4.50	Peaches, Cal., red,
do doz. .....40@50c	crate .....$2.00@2.25
Bananas, large..$1.50@2.00	do 10-lb bskts...$@40c
do 66s ....$1.00@1.50	do Cal. green..$1.75@2.00
Pineapples, Fla. smooth	Grapes, Del.,
Cayennes ....$3.50@4.00	crates .....$1.75@2.00
Pears, 10-lb	
bskts. .....50@60c	

SALT FISH.

Mackerel, No. 1	Mackerel, No. 1
mess, bbl.....$10.00	mess, bbl.....$9.25
do half bbl.....$5.50	do half bbl.....$5.00
do quar. bbl.....$2.75	do quar. bbls.....$2.75
Mackerel, No. 1	do 20-lb pails.....$1.50
plain, bbl. $10.00	do 10-lb pails.....$1.00
do half bbls....$5.50	do No. 2 Irish
do quar. bbls....$2.75	50-lb tubs $5.00
do 20-lb pails....$1.50	Lake herring, 100
do 10-lb pails....$1.75	lbs. $2.50
	do 50-lb $1.40
	do 10-lb .....$.30

SMALL FRUITS.

Blackberries,	do large bkt.$1.25@1.40
crates ....$1.00@2.50	do small basket.50@75c
Huckleberries,	Elderberries,
pails .....10@20c	pails .....10@15c

Pig Iron Certificates.

NEW YORK, Aug. 28.—(Special.)—Early in the session the market for pig iron was irregular with little activity. First call, 11 a. m.:

	—Regular—		—Foundry—	
	Bid.	Asked.	Bid.	Asked.
Cash	15.10	15.75	...	...
August	15.10	15.75	15.40	15.75
September	15.25	15.50	15.50	15.90
October	15.25	15.50	15.35	15.75
November	15.50	15.75	15.60	15.90
December	15.50	15.85	15.85	15.85
February	15.70	16.00	15.90	16.10

Sales: 100 tons regular, September, at 15.50.

Bids were higher for most deliveries late in the session, but little was accomplished as markets were strong in their views. Second call, 1 p. m.:

	—Regular—		—Foundry—	
	Bid.	Asked.	Bid.	Asked.
Cash	15.10	15.75	...	...
August	15.10	15.75	15.40	15.75
September	15.25	15.50	15.50	15.90
October	15.25	15.50	15.35	15.75
November	15.50	15.75	15.60	15.90
December	15.50	15.85	15.85	15.85
February	15.70	16.00	15.90	16.10

Sales: 100 tons foundry, November, at 15.85. Shipt off cars: 100 tons regular, December, at 12.85; 100 tons foundry, December at 16.00, 100 tons foundry, October, at 15.90.

The Cotton Market.

NEW YORK, Aug. 28.—Spot closed steady, 25 points advance; middling uplands, 11.25c; middling gulf, 11.50c, sales, 700 bales.

	Open	High	Low	Close
January	11.24	11.31	11.21	11.29
February	11.27	11.34	11.29	11.33
March	11.30	11.36	11.26	11.34
April	11.30	11.36	11.30	11.34
May	11.30	11.36	11.25	11.33
August	*10.80	10.84	10.80	10.84
September	10.50	10.50	10.46	10.46
October	11.08	11.14	11.08	11.12
November	11.10	11.16	11.10	11.14
December	11.15	11.21	11.15	11.21

*Bid.

Evaporated Fruits.

NEW YORK, Aug. 28.—There have been no fresh deliveries in the market for evaporated apples, dealers are still asking about 7¾c for October. November delivery of prime fruit with 7½c bid. Spot quotations remain as recently, with common to good at 6@6½c, prime at 7@7¼c; choice at 7¾c, and fancy at 8c. Prunes are firm, and spot offerings are light. Quotations range from 4½c to 9½c. Apricots continue quiet, with choice quoted at 8½c; extra choice at 9@9½c, and fancy at 9½@10c. Peaches are scarce on spot, with fancy about the only grade available, and quoted at 11½c. Raisins rule firm. Loose Muscatel are quoted at 4¾@5¼c; seeded raisins at 5¼@7¾c, and London layers at $1.90@1.95.

National Income Is Increasing.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 28.—The monthly statement of the collections of internal revenue show that for the month of July, 1905, the collections amounted to $20,396,612, which is an increase as compared with July, 1904, of $385,961. The receipts from the several sources of rev. The expenditures for the month of July, 1905, were $19,998,651, an increase of $122,837; tobacco, $3,638,795, increase $223,922; fermented liquors, $2,257,967, increase $501,306; oleomargarine, $89,602, increase $18,475; adulterated butter, $122, decrease $1,589; process or renovated butter, $9,849, increase $1,613; miscellaneous, $95,737, decrease $245,613.

BEARISH SENTIMENT HOLDS WHEAT STEADY

September Closes Down—Corn and Oats Are Off 1-4c and Provisions Are Lower.

[By Associated Press to The Gazette.]

CHICAGO, Aug. 28.—A bearish feeling was prevalent in the wheat pit throughout the session. Chief among the early influences was the marked increase this week over last in shipments from Russia and the Danube. There was also a notable gain in the amount of grain on ocean passage as against a decrease for which the trade had been led to expect. The result was an easy opening with September unchanged to the lower, at 79@c to 79¼c. There were a number of prominent shorts who appeared willing to cover at the lower figure and offerings were readily absorbed. Notwithstanding that fact the market acquired no buoyancy. On the contrary, a recession to 79¼@79¾c occurred. A decrease of 1,000,000 bushels in the visible supply narrowed somewhat among the bulls and the net result of their efforts, coupled with the restraining influence of large numbers of resting orders executed by commission houses was a rally to 79¾c for the September option, at which figure it closed with a steady undertone. Clearances of wheat and flour were equal to 76,000 bushels. Primary receipts were 1,127,000 bushels, against 1,474,000 bushels a year ago. Minneapolis, Duluth and Chicago reported receipts of 431 cars, against 231 cars last week and 324 cars a year ago.

The market for corn was easy at the opening, the heaviness in wheat depressing those who might have bought on the moderate receipts and the heaviness of shipments. September was down ¼c at 52c. The strengthening influences were felt later, however, and with offerings light, the early loss was more than regained, the near month selling up to 53¾c. Declines induced by crop statistics later became progressive and the market eased off to 52¾c, rallying toward the close under short covering to 53c, with the setting barely steady. Local receipts were 270 cars, of which 235 were of contract grade.

Oats were dull and easy, keeping within narrow limits and closing at the bottom. Trading was chiefly confined to changing from September to May by cash houses. September declined 2¾c. The highest for the day was 29¾c. Local receipts were 242 cars.

Provisions were controlled with a tendency toward weakness. Packers' support was withheld and prices suffered. Liquidation in September pork by long interests with resales broke the price to 14.07½, a net loss of 7c. September lard is off 12½c at $7.85. Ribs closed 7½c down, at $6.77½.

Estimated receipts for tomorrow: Wheat, 120 cars; corn, 330 cars; oats, 305 cars; hogs, 12,000 head.

The leading futures, as reported by John D. Armstrong & Co., Farmers bank building, Pittsburgh, members of the Chicago board of trade, ranged as follows:

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.	Yest'y. day's Close.
WHEAT No. 2					
Sept.	79¾	79¾	79¼	79¼	79½
Dec.	81½	81½	81	81½	81½
May	84¾	84¾	84¼	84¾	85¼
CORN, No. 2.					
Sept. old	53¼	53¼	52¾	53¼	53½
Sept. new	52	53¼	52¾	53¼	53½
Dec.	47¾	47¾	47¼	47¼	47¾
May	47¾	47¾	47	47¼	47¾
OATS No. 2.					
Sept.	29¾	29¾	29¾	29¾	29
Dec.	29¾	29¾	29¾	29¾	29¾
May	29¾	29¾	29¾	29¾	29¾
MESS PORK.					
Sept.	14 72	14 82½	14 07½	14 07½	14 87½
Jan.	14 87½	14 97½	14 82½	14 82½	14 87½
LARD					
Sept.	8 00	8 05	7 85	7 85	7 97½
Oct.	8 05	8 05	7 85	7 85	7 97½
Nov.	7 70	7 70	7 67½	7 67½	7 75
SHORT RIBS					
Sept.	8 07½	8 20	8 77½	8 77½	8 90
Oct.	8 07½	8 07½	8 85	8 85	8 97½

Cash quotations were as follows:

Flour steady; No. 2 spring wheat, 79@80c; No. 3 red, 78¾@79¾c; No. 2 corn, 54@54½c; No. 3 yellow, 53½c; No. 2 oats, 28½@28¾c; No. 3 white, 27½@28c; No. 2 rye, 46c; good feeding barley, 37@38c; fair to choice malting, 42@46c; No. 1 flaxseed, $1.09; No. 1 northwestern, $1.15; prime timothy seed, $3.65; mess pork, per bbl, $14.60@14.75; lard, per 100 lbs, $7.85; short rib sides (loose), $8.07½@8.20; dry salted shoulders (boxed), $8.87½@9; short clear sides (boxed), $9.07½@9.12½; whisky, basis of high wines, $1.28; clover, contract grade, $9.00@10.50.

Articles.	Receipts.	Shipments.
Flour, bbls	23,000	25,000
Wheat, bushels	56,000	88,000
Corn, bushels	344,000	180,000
Oats, bushels	420,000	420,000

Butter, Eggs and Cheese.

NEW YORK, Aug. 29.—Butter quiet; receipts 5,135 pkgs; street prices, extra creamery, 25½@26c; official prices, creamery, common to extra, 17½@25½c; state dairy, common to extra, 17@25c; renovated, common to extra, 19@24c; western imitation creamery, common to extra, 18@24c. Cheese steady; receipts, 6,332 pkgs; state, full cream, small colored and white fancy, 12½c; do, large colored and white fancy, 12½c; do, fall to light, 9½@12c. Eggs weak; receipts, 13,207 pkgs; state, Pennsylvania and nearby selected, white, fancy, 20@21c; do, choice, 19@20c; do, mixed extra, 19c; western firsts, 20c; do seconds, 18@19c; thirds, 16@17c.

CHICAGO, Aug. 28.—Butter steady; creameries, 17@22c; dairies, 16@21c. Eggs steady at mark, cases included, 15½@17c. Cheese firm, 10½@11c.

PHILADELPHIA, Aug. 28.—Butter firm; extra western creamery, 25c; nearby prints, 25c. Eggs firm; nearby fresh, 20c; do, loss off, 18c; southern fresh, 18c; do, storage packed, 17c. Cheese firm, 10½@11c.

MINNEAPOLIS, Aug. 28.—Wheat, September, 77½c; December, 79½c; on track, No. 1 hard, 80c; No. 1 northern, 79c; No. 2 northern, 77@78c. Corn, No. 3, 47½c. Oats, standard, 27½c. Flour unchanged; first patents, $4.20@4.40; second patents, $4.00@4.20; first clears, $3.30@3.60; second clears, $2.10@2.25.

ST. LOUIS, Aug. 28.—Wheat, No. 2 red, cash, 80c; July, 80½c; September, 79½c; December, 79½c. Corn, No. 2 cash, 51½c; September, 51½c; December, 47½c. Oats, No. 2 cash, 28½c; September, 28½c; December, 29½c. Rye, No. 2, 46c. Timothy, $4.00@4.40. Clover, $10.00@12.00. Butter, creamery, 17@22c; dairy, 16@20c. Eggs, 15c. Cheese, 10½c. Bacon, 8½c. Pork, $14.75. Lard, $7.85. Receipts, wheat, 17,000 bushels; corn, 49,000 bushels; oats, 15,000 bushels. Shipments, wheat, 20,000 bushels; corn, 30,000 bushels; oats, 15,000 bushels.

TOLEDO, Aug. 28.—Clover seed, cash, $8.75; October, $8.40; December, $8.25; January, $8.27½; August, $8.65. Prime timothy, $4.65@4.70.

Turpentine and Rosin.

WILMINGTON, N. C., Aug. 28.—Spirits turpentine firm, 39½c. Rosin firm, $1.35. Tar firm, $2.00 bbl. Crude turpentine firm, $2.75, $3.75 and $4.75.

SAVANNAH, GA., Aug. 28.—Turpentine steady, 39c. Rosin firm; quote A, B, C, $3.90; D, $3.95; E, $3.95; F, $4.05; G, $4.10; H, $4.20@4.25; I, $4.30; K, $4.35; M, $4.40; N, $4.40; WG, $4.45; WW, $4.65.

CHARLESTON, S. C., Aug. 28.—Turpentine and rosin, nothing doing.

Foreign Financial.

LONDON, Aug. 28.—Money, 1 per cent; the discount rate for short bills, 1½ per cent; three months' bills, 1¾@1 15-16 per cent; consols for money, 80¾; consols for account, 80¾.

PARIS, Aug. 28.—There per cent rentes, 99 francs 67 centimes for the account; exchanges on London, 25 francs 27 centimes for checks.

BERLIN, Aug. 28.—Exchange on London, 20 marks 47 pfgs.; the rate of discount for short bills, 2¾ per cent; three months' bills, 2¾ per cent.

Drygoods.

NEW YORK, Aug. 28.—The week opened in the drygoods market with the same firmness and buoyancy in evidence which has been the feature of the week just past. There was no work by the sellers and notwithstanding the unwillingness to speculate regarding the future there were liberal inquiries from jobbers for spot goods. Many lines were sold at value and outlook was for higher prices in many directions, without demand being satisfied.

DELAYS WORK ON THE INSTITUTE

Contractors, in Answer to Suit, Claim Bad Stone May Cause Heavy Penalty.

TAILOR BILL WAS NOT PAID

The William Miller Sons Co., in an affidavit of defense to the suit of the Columbia Stone Company, claims that the work on the Carnegie Institute was held back 90 days because the company furnished stone of an inferior quality, and this, the Miller company alleges, may cost it a fine of $30,000 unless the work is finished as per contract.

The defendant company admits it entered into an agreement with the plaintiff company to purchase 50,000 feet of stone to be used in the construction work, but states that the Columbia Stone Company only delivered 30,000 feet, and that was of such an inferior grade that the work on the library was retarded over two months. The defendant says as a penalty of $800 a day will be assessed against the contractors if the work on the library is delayed, it may be required to pay the trustees a large sum because the stone company did not furnish the proper quality of stone.

Judge James R. Macfarlane, who will preside in quarter sessions court for the term opening next Monday, issued an order fixing Tuesday, September 5, as the date for hearing the constable's returns. Monday, the first day of the term, is Labor day, and no business will be transacted that day because of that fact.

The argument list will be taken up Tuesday and will run for the remainder of the week. On Monday, September 11, jury trials will be resumed, and the first work will be to clear the calendars of cases which are based on appeals from the decisions of magistrates.

An interesting affidavit of defense was filed by the defendant in the suit of George F. Marsh against William Willett. The action is brought for $32, the value of a suit of clothes. In his affidavit Willett states that he became acquainted with the plaintiff in Altoona in September, 1899. The plaintiff, who is a tailor, he says, urged him to go to his place of business and be measured for a suit of clothes. To accommodate the plaintiff, who, Willett says, expressed a desire to do something for him, he was measured. He then accepted the suit as a gift, or evidence of the plaintiff's friendship, and at no time agreed to pay for the suit, or had he any idea that a charge would be made. Willett says that the sleeves of the coat and the legs of the trousers were too short, and that he had to give the suit to his servant. He would have returned the suit, only he did not want to hurt the

PENNSYLVANIA WANTS 8,000 CARS

Would Like 25,000 Tons More Steel—Shift of Agents on the Allegheny Valley.

B. & O. OFFERS $500 REWARD

Evidence of the optimistic outlook of the Pennsylvania railroad officers for a continuation and probable increase of the healthy business conditions is shown in their asking bids for about 8,000 freight cars. Another evidence of this optimism is shown in their desiring about 25,000 tons of steel—structural and rails—for immediate delivery. Of the 12,000 cars ordered for this year's delivery all but about 800 have been delivered, while about 90,000 tons of the 100,000 tons of steel ordered have also been delivered.

The big car order to be placed now will be partly to fill vacant numbers, that is, to take the place of cars that have been demolished in wrecks, that have become worn-out or that otherwise have become unfit for further service. The Pennsylvania has learned something in the car line in the last few years that has become valuable information to all roads. Through extensive operations, as well as through special experiments, it has been found the steel car and the steel underframe car have become a menace to the wooden car. The wooden car cannot withstand the heavy strain and knocking about that comes in a train rushing along over the road. For this reason the smaller and wooden cars are placed at the rear of the trains.

The wooden car, like all others, must be equipped with automatic couplings, and, on the Pennsylvania system, must have airbrakes. Both of these devices are hard on equipment when it comes to actual operations. The old-time car buffing-up for hand coupling is out of vogue, for the automatic couplers require something of a hard bump to operate efficiently. This bumping is hard on the wooden and smaller cars. The airbraking has been found in many instances to cause the buckling of cars, which is also hard on the lighter equipment. The Pennsylvania has in the past year lost more of its wooden and lightweight cars, proportionately, in the above ways than ever before in the history of the road.

Thus there are necessarily a large number of vacant numbers to be filled. While the larger cars are thus replacing the worn-out or demolished cars, they are at the same time increasing the carrying capacity of the equipment, for all of the new cars are of 100,000 pounds capacity, while the older ones range from 50,000 pounds to 80,000. The cars are to be of the gondola, box and refrigerator types.

Big Shift of Valley Agents.

Through the resignation of Frederick K. Weaver as agent of the Buffalo & Allegheny Valley division of the Pennsylvania railroad at Kiskiminetas Junction, to become cashier of the Freeport National bank, there has come a shifting of five other agents, with one or two more chances to be announced. Mr. Weaver has been in the service of the Valley 24 years, and is known to almost every man of the division. Superintendent C. T. Dabney has announced the following transfers and promotions in consequence of Mr. Weaver's retirement: L. F. Thompson, freight agent at Verona, to freight and passenger agent Kiskiminetas Junction for the River and West Penn divisions; W. S. McCleary, freight and passenger agent at Foxburg, to freight agent at Verona; E. W. Riggle, freight and passenger agent at Kelly, to a similar position at Foxburg; A. J. Gray, freight and passenger agent at White Rock, to a similar position at Kelly; J. E. Sloan, extra agent, to freight and passenger agent at White Rock. Mr. Sloan's successor has not been named.

Kennicott Handling Raymer's Device.

Under the heading "A Marked Improvement in Locomotive Boiler Maintenance," which was the subject of a lecture before the Western Railway club at Chicago last winter by A. R. Raymer, assistant chief engineer of the Pittsburgh & Lake Erie railroad, the Kennicott Water Softener Company has issued a handsomely printed and illustrated brochure, one that will not be cast into the waste basket, but will be read and kept. The subject is treated from a scientific standpoint by Mr. Raymer, at the same time giving an exposition of the boiler water changing device of which he is patentee. At the McKees Rocks plant of the Pittsburgh & Lake Erie, where one of the devices is used, careful experiments were made, and these are tabulated in the book.

Spurt on B. & O. St. Louis Line.

The excellent roadbed of the Baltimore & Ohio Southwestern line, brought about by extensive improvements in the past couple of years, has brought it to the fore as one of the crack lines east from St. Louis. The company recently installed an eight-hour train between St. Louis and Cincinnati, a distance of 329 miles. This is the fastest train operating between the two cities. On a trip of this train which is called the Queen City limited, last Thursday, a run of 158 miles was made in 165 minutes. This included four stops. Excluding these stops the actual running time was more than a mile a minute. The train is solid vestibuled and is one of the finest operated on the Baltimore & Ohio system.

B. & O. Offers Reward of $500.

Unable so far in the investigations by the detectives of the Baltimore & Ohio railroad, of Allegheny county, and of McKeesport, to settle upon the person who threw a stone through the car window of train No. 10 on July 17, which act resulted in the death of Alexander C. Campbell, a coal and lumber dealer of Charlestown, W. Va., the company has decided to offer a reward of $500 for information leading to the arrest and conviction of the guilty person. This was the fifth instance reported of stone-throwing at the train, but it was the only fatal case. Arrests have been made, but in each instance the persons arrested have cleared themselves.

Train Automatically Closes Switch.

A device that is certain to be examined by railway officers has just been patented by Rudolph Scheibert of Middletown, O., a machinist in the employ of the Cincinnati Northern Traction Company. This is an automatic safety switch designed to prevent accidents caused by trains running into open or misplaced switches. Mechanically the device is simple. An engine or train approaching an open or misplaced switch from either direction will strike the device and this will automatically close and lock the switch. The working is so positive and instantaneous that the fastest moving train will operate it successfully, it is claimed.

Worthington Giving Tots Free Ride.

B. A. Worthington, the new vice president in charge of the Wheeling & Lake Erie, says the Toledo Blade, has endeared himself to the children of the old Adams Street City mission by offering to donate free transportation for the annual outing to be held at Oak Harbor, 24 miles east of Toledo, on Thursday, August 31. Mr. Worthington has entered heartily into the scheme and has directed that special cars for the use of the mission people be placed at the old Wheeling & Lake Erie passenger station.

Railroad Notes.

T. C. Smith, chief clerk in the Chicago Great Western offices here, has returned from a trip over the company's lines.

Miss Sara Budd Dillon, stenographer to General Superintendent J. E. Yohe of the Pittsburgh & Lake Erie, resumed her duties yesterday after having enjoyed a trip to Europe.

George T. Gunnip, general agent of the Santa Fe's passenger department at Cincinnati, is spending a couple of days here in conference with Passenger Agent P. B. Shellaberger.

Superintendent B. W. Dyer and Assistant Train Master R. M. Sheets are making an inspection of the narrow gauge branch of the Baltimore & Ohio's Pittsburgh division today.

The engineers maintenance of way of the Pennsylvania lines west held their quarterly meeting at Chicago last Thursday. W. D. Wiggins of the Pittsburgh division is secretary of the association.

Daniel Sullivan, foreman of construction work on the new Baltimore & Ohio cutoff between Hazelton and Ravenna, has been promoted to superintendent of construction on the Pittsburgh division of the same system.

Daniel Sullivan, who has been foreman of construction on the new Baltimore & Ohio line between Hazelton and Ravenna, has been appointed superintendent of construction for this district, with headquarters in Pittsburgh.

J. D. Conway, chief clerk in the motive power department of the Pittsburgh & Lake Erie and secretary of the Railway club of Pittsburgh, has returned home from his vacation trip, of course, with a good fish story or two. Accompanied by his family, he took a ride up Lachine rapids to Montreal, then sojourned a few days at Lake Placid in the Adirondacks and spent a couple of days last week fishing in French creek.

Vacation Over.

Time to select a school is here. For a thorough business education you had better select the school with the best reputation and facilities; the school that has educated two generations of successful business men in Pittsburgh and vicinity. Positively the best school for business training in this section of the country. A school that can boast of a stronger representative alumni than any other school in its class. Duff's college was the first mercantile college started in America, and has been in existence nearly three-score years, and still offers superior advantages to its students. Graduates of this college have no trouble in securing employment. Write or call for catalogue. Duff's College, third floor, Sixth street and Liberty avenue, Pittsburgh, Pa.

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CHAMBER OF COMMERCE AT THE EXPOSITION

This Organization Has Prepared an Interesting Exhibit for the Point Show.

The chamber of commerce exhibit at the Pittsburgh exposition, which is about completed and will be ready for the opening next Wednesday evening, contains a vast amount of interesting, valuable and instructive data which perhaps even the best versed historians of Western Pennsylvania are ignorant of. The display, which was on view at the world's fair, has been erected in the main building of the exposition to the left of the main aisle and is given here exactly as it appeared at St. Louis. The relief map of Greater Pittsburgh, which occupies the considerable portion of the space, showing so exact almost every foot of Greater Pittsburgh, is so complete that it is possible to pick out almost every residence or prominent building in the two cities.

Prominently located in the certer of the space is the relief map showing the route of the proposed Lake Erie and Ohio river ship canal, the feeders and water sheds, the canal extending from Davis island dam through the Ohio valley, the Beaver valley and the Mahoning.

The transparent pictures, which surround the framework above the relief map, being photographs behind which electric lights are thrown, are works of art, reproducing familiar scenes in and about Pittsburgh. The interior workings of a coal mine are shown in a series of the pictures, views of the polytechnic schools are brought out vividly on another. Schenley and Highland park landscapes, and scenes from the various mills of Pittsburgh form another group.

The educational knowledge derived from the chamber of commerce exhibit is the chief aim of the display. High panel work has been arranged artistically about the entire exhibit, containing on the outside and inside about 50 immense photographs showing more views of Pittsburgh.

ALBER'S IMPRISONMENT IS FOR CRIME OF LESE MAJESTE

Nicaragua Is Simply Endeavoring to Teach Fighting American Good Manners.

[By Associated Press to The Gazette.]

WASHINGTON, Aug. 28.—A cablegram received at the state department from Minister Merry, dated at San Jose, Costa Rica, today, says that Albers, the American citizen arrested in Nicaragua, is in comfortable quarters and is allowed to receive his friends in jail. He has also been permitted to visit his house twice, and has retained two lawyers who may consult with him. Mr. Merry adds that he will see that Albers has a fair trial.

A mail report received today from Minister Merry dated at San Jose, August 18, contains the information called for by the state department as to the cause for the arrest of Albers. The minister enclosed a copy of a telegram received by him from the Nicaraguan minister for foreign affairs dated at Managua, August 13.

In this dispatch the minister for foreign affairs stated that William C. Albers resided in Jalapa, in the district of new Sebogia and that he opposed the local authorities in their attempt to serve a writ. In his excitement, Albers, it is charged, insulted the president of the republic.

CENTENARIAN PASSES AWAY.

Within Five Days of Great Birthday Celebration, Aged Quaker Goes Home.

FREEHOLD, N. J., Aug. 28.—(Special.)—Within five days of her 104th birthday, Mrs. Elizabeth Coward, of Allentown, N. J., has passed peacefully away, surrounded by many of her relatives, who were in preparation, for a grand celebration of her birthday.

The Cowards were among the early settlers of Upper Freehold township. They are of Quaker extraction. There is no guesswork in estimating Mrs. Coward's age. The family record is indisputable. In 1822 she was married to Forman Coward, and of five children two, Forman Coward and Miss Alice Coward, are still living. "Aunt Betsy" had always lived in the vicinity of her birth, having had but four homes during her lifetime.

CONGRESS MAY ACT.

Emergency Fund Probably Will Help Stranded Circus Men in France.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 28.—American Consul Mason, at Grenoble, France, has cabled Acting Secretary Loomis that of the original party included in the American circus stranded there, sixty-five members remain in a state of great distress and destitution.

The department does not know how to deal with this case, having no funds available to relieve the sufferers, but it is possible that the president may direct some money to be advanced from the emergency fund, trusting to congress to sanction this action at its next session.

REMEMBERS CHILD OF NURSE.

General Blackmar, in His Will, Thought of Woman Who Cared for Him When Wounded.

BROCKTON, MASS., Aug. 28.—The will of the late Gen. Wilmon W. Blackmar, commander-in-chief of the Grand Army of the Republic, provides for a legacy of $2,000 to Nancy T. Creel of Louisville, Ky., whose mother served as nurse to Gen. Blackmar after he had been wounded in the civil war.

The testator leaves to the United States government the chair in which Gen. Ulysses S. Grant sat when arranging the surrender of Gen. Robert E. Lee, of the confederate army, at Appomattox.

Window Sleeper Is Badly Hurt.

Andrew Sarke, aged 42, of Third street, Rankin, is at Mercy hospital with a fractured skull, two broken ribs and many bruises as a result of falling out of a second-story window at his home early yesterday morning. Sarke returned home about midnight and sat on the window sill to cool himself. He fell asleep and fell out, alighting on his head on the pavement.

Mischevious Boys Wreck a Car.

Loaded with 50 tons of coal, a car on the siding of the Stockdale Coal and Supply Company, near Braddock, was released yesterday by boys and wrecked. The car was blocked on a heavy grade and when the boys released the brakes it rushed down the track, but was derailed and overturned before it reached the main line of the railroad.

Mr. Hay's Will Filed.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 28.—The will of John Hay, late secretary of state, was today admitted to probate. Letters testamentary were granted to Payne Whitney and James Walcott Wadsworth, Jr., upon their filing a special bond of $250,000, conditioned upon the payment of all claims, debts and legacies chargeable against the estate.

President Approves Sentence.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 28.—The president has approved the sentence in the court-martial case of First Lieut. George S. Richards, Twenty-third infantry, convicted of duplicating pay accounts, and sentenced to dismissal from the service and to one year of hard labor.

Wife Is Not a Murderess.

BUFFALO, N. Y., Aug. 28.—The death of John A. Honer, the Buffalo merchant, was due to cholera morbus and heart disease, and not to carbolic acid administered by his wife. Mrs. Honer gave herself up to the police on the day of her husband's death, saying she had poisoned him. She has been adjudged insane.

Last Excursion to Atlantic City August 31st, Via Baltimore & Ohio Railroad.

Ten dollars round trip; tickets good 16 days. Stop-over permitted at Philadelphia, Baltimore and Washington on return trip. Trains leave Pittsburgh 8 a. m., 6:30 and 9 p. m.

HOLMES ACCUSED OF HIDING MONEY

Former Government Statistician Surrenders Himself to Federal Authorities.

RELEASED ON $10,000 BAIL

The Pittsburgh Gazette Bureau, Room 10, Postal Building. WASHINGTON, Aug. 28.

Edwin S. Holmes, Jr., dismissed associate statistician of the department of agriculture, and the most important of the three men indicted for conspiracy in the cotton report scandal, surrendered himself at the United States marshal's office here this morning. The efforts which had been made since Saturday night to arrest him failed.

In the fixing of bail upon which he was released came an indication of the bitterness with which the fight for conviction of those indicted will be waged on both sides. District Attorney Beach immediately asked that the bail, which had been set for $10,000 on Saturday when it was expected Holmes would appear, be advanced to $20,000, on the ground that the offense was not extraditable, and that Holmes possessed many times $10,000.

Mr. Beach caused a sensation by reading to Justice Stafford, before whom the proceedings were held, an affidavit which accused W. E. Lester, Mr. Holmes' lawyer, of bad faith in failing to procure his client when he was wanted, and with having advised and aided him to evade service of the warrant which he was informed had been issued. Mr. Lester in this affidavit is charged with having failed to keep his agreements with the district attorney. The affidavit says in part:

That Holmes, within the past six weeks, visited the city of Spokane, Wash., where he stated that he had sold, in February last, a one-third interest in a certain gold mine for $75,000.

That the owner of the said mine has testified, under oath, that no such sale is known to him; that the cost to the said Holmes of such interest was about $200, and that the value of the same was less than $500.

Mr. Beach says he is further informed and believes that Holmes had until recently a large amount of currency secreted in safe deposit boxes in Washington, D. C., and in other cities, and that in the month of December last Holmes realized and received from the transactions stated in the indictment, about $50,000 in cash.

Mr. Lester characterized as gratuitous the statement that he assisted his client to escape arrest. He reiterated his previous statements that he had been thoroughly frank in his dealings with the district attorney, a fact which Mr. Beach denies. Mr. Lester thought that $3,000 was enough bail and that it certainly should not be more than $5,000. Justice Stafford fixed it at $20,000, and Holmes was released.

The evidence in hand shows that the combined fortunes of Holmes, Haas and Peckham runs well up toward $1,500,000.

ARE STILL TO BE FOUND.

Alderman McMasters Says He Has Not Located Dunbar or Marshall as Yet.

Warrants issued by Alderman James V. McMasters for the arrest of Frank D. Dunbar and A. G. Marshall, alleged officers and directors of the Duquesne Mutual Fire Insurance Company, the Lafayette Mutual Fire Insurance Company and the North American Mutual Fire Insurance Company, have not been served. Late yesterday afternoon Alderman McMasters said that his constables had been to the offices of the men wanted, in the Washington National bank building, Fifth avenue and Washington street, and found the men were not in. "We don't know where the men are, but when we find our we will serve the warrants," said McMasters.

The warrants were issued at the instance of Silas M. Kunkle of Ambrust, Westmoreland county, who alleges in his information he became part owner and treasurer of the Duquesne company at the solicitation of Dunbar and Marshall, and paid them $1,500. Kunkle charges the defendants with embezzling $16,000. Alderman McMasters stated the report that the furniture had been removed from the offices of Dunbar and Marshall is not true, and also no detectives have been employed to find them.

Harry E. Holman, who was appointed receiver for the three concerns on Saturday, has begun an investigation into the affairs of the companies.

POISON CAUSES DEATH.

Coroner's Jury Decides Private Ryan Died from Effects of Chloral Administered by Unknown Person.

"Came to death from chloral poison, administered by unknown hands," was the verdict of the coroner's jury in the case of Private Michael Ryan of Company I, Sixth United States infantry, who died under suspicious conditions at the Allegheny arsenal on August 16. The inquest was held yesterday morning.

Ryan, who had visited a saloon with some friends during the evening returned to the arsenal, sat on the wall, and keeled over. He died shortly after and chloral was found in his stomach after a post-morten examination. First Lieut. Kent Browning and Corporal F. P. Merrit testified Ryan was not a drinking man and was never known to use drugs in any form, and no bottles of any description were found in his bunk. Private Boyd Jones, who was with Ryan when he fell from the wall, said he was not under the influence of liquor. Other soldiers at the arsenal testified Ryan was sober during the night of his death.

LEAVE BABIES BEHIND.

Couple Deserts Two Handsome Boys at Swell Hotel in Albany.

ALBANY, N. Y., Aug. 28.—A couple registered at the Hotel Ten Eyck here last Thursday as Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Rogers of San Francisco, and disappeared from the hotel Friday night leaving behind them two children, both boys, aged respectively 6 years and 6 months. Mr. and Mrs. Rogers left without paying their board bill and after getting the hotel to cash a certified check. The police have heard that the couple came here from Washington, and today telegraphed to that city in an effort to locate them.

Thus far nothing has developed to indicate that the Rogers' are fleeing from justice. One theory upon which the police are working is that perhaps finding themselves without means, they have committed suicide.

English Fleet Visiting Germany.

BERLIN, Aug. 28.—The visit of the British channel fleet today to the German Baltic ports, beginning with Swinemunde, has been received with every show of courtesy and pleasure by the German naval authorities. The exchanges of calls and hospitalities between the British and German squadrons today are described as having been in highly correct form.

Charter a Pittsburgh Oil Company.

DOVER, DEL., Aug. 28.—A certificate of incorporation was filed here today for the Ohio & Pittsburgh Oil Company of Pittsburgh, Pa., to drill, mine for, buy and sell oils, gas, etc. Incorporators: Robert George, G. H. Cisler, Pittsburgh, Pa.; T. E. McCausland, Allegheny, Pa. Capital stock $25,000.

Educational Congress Opens.

PORTLAND, ORE., Aug. 28.—The Lewis and Clark educational congress assembled in Portland today for a four-days' session. Among the speakers was Dr. A. S. Draper, commissioner of education of New York.

Carey Named for Governor.

BOSTON, Aug. 28.—The Socialist party state convention here today nominated former Representative James F. Carey of Haverhill for governor.

Money Promptly.

Prompt attention given to applications for loans on improved real estate in Allegheny county. No commission to pay and reasonable charge for title examination. Apply to Mortgage Department, Peoples Savings bank, Fourth avenue and Wood street.

CHOLERA SITUATION WORRIES PRUSSIANS

Three Deaths Have Occurred from Dreaded Disease in the Weichsel District.

[By Associated Press to The Gazette.]

BERLIN, Aug. 28.—The official Reichs-Anzeiger today says that since August 16 seven cholera cases, three of which were fatal, have occurred in the Weichsel district, East Prussia. Traffic from Weichsel has been placed under medical and police control. Dispatches from Danzig say the cholera baccillus appears to have spread further than the health authorities on Saturday supposed possible.

A raftsman has died of supposed cholera in the hospital at Bromberg and two laborers of Fordon who drank of Weichsel river water, suddenly became ill. One of them died later, supposedly of cholera. Three firemen from Gallicia have been attacked, presumably by cholera at Graudenz.

The medical authorities are tightening their dicatorship, multiplying the stations along the river to prevent bathing or the use of water in any form, examining searchingly every person complaining of the least illness and are urging all families within the district to use the recognized precautions. These measures have been effective enough so far as Prussian territory is concerned, but the physicians ask each other what is taking place beyond the frontier boundary stones.

The water of the Weichsel flowing out of Russia is contaminated, but no one knows if few or many cases of cholera exist up the stream or whether proper precautions are being taken.

MANILA, Aug. 28.—The cholera situation remains unchanged. Two deaths among the natives were reported today.

WEATHER PROPHETS FOUND IN ABUNDANCE

Offer of a Reward for Best Prediction Brings Out Six Hundred and More Coming.

NEW YORK, Aug. 28.—Six hundred prophets are at work on the weather, which accounts for its infinite variety. They are sending bulletins to Frederick R. Fast, who has offered $100 for the most successful forecast.

The official forecaster for Radigan's radical resolvent almanac, who furnishes accurate programs of the rain and shine for fourteen months ahead, has forwarded his views with the explanation that he guessed at the conditions and that he stands pat on the whole program.

The seer who is guided by his rheumatism, the forecaster who travels up and down all day in an elevator in an office building, and the man from Winnebago whose glimpses into futurity are guided by the fur of animals, have all threatened to send contributions later.

"It will be well worth while," said Mr. Fast, "to see if the guesses of the prophets are not as good, if not better, than the calculations of the United States weather bureau. The official predictions are right 43 per cent of the time, while the unofficial average is 66 per cent in correctness."

REFUSES TO GIVE NAMES.

Burns Says Scale Arranged With Manufacturers Should Be Accepted.

President Simon Burns of local assembly 300, Window Glass Workers, refuses to make known the names of the men who attempted to bribe him, and yesterday stated it is up to the officers of the American Window Glass Company to answer his charge. Burns alleges agents of the company offered him several thousand dollars to disrupt the negotiations between the local assembly 300 and the National Window Glass Manufacturers' association, at the time they were arranging to make a sliding scale for the coming fire.

President Burns refuses to state how many thousands of dollars he was offered, but insists the scale as signed with the manufacturers is for the best interests of the manufacturers and the window glass workers. The members of the Amalgamated Association of Window Glass Workers refuse to accept the sliding scale and other conditions made in the agreement by Burns with the manufacturers. Burns says the arrangements made by him are the best the window glass workers have ever had, but says they have so far been unable to realize it.

IS HIS OWN SLEUTH.

Noblestown Farmer Discovers Horse Here and Takes Him Back.

Robert Marshall of Noblestown had a horse stolen from his pasture Friday afternoon. Yesterday Robert came to town and saw a horse hitched to the rear of a buggy in Sixth street. The horse looked familiar to Robert, and Robert looked familiar to the horse. The recognition was as immediate as it was mutual.

Finding William McGonnigle of McGonnigle Bros., horse dealers, was in possession of the horse, he made information against McGonnigle in Central station. McGonnigle was arrested and at the hearing explained he had traded a horse, together with $50, for the animal in question, but agreed to give him up. Then Robert and the horse went back to the farm.

Falls Over Second Avenue Bluff.

William Voss, aged 51, of 1 Chestnut street, fell over the bluff in the rear of "Yellow Row" in Second avenue, yesterday afternoon. He was then arrested on a charge of drunkenness by Policeman James Baker. When taken to Central police station, it was discovered Voss was badly hurt, and he was taken to the Homeopathic hospital.

Find Home Has a Record.

Thomas Horne, aged 24, who was arrested in Braddock on Sunday on a charge of horse stealing, made by James Gilmore of the Greensburg pike, was yesterday held for trial at court by Justice Holtzman. In looking up Horne's record Holtzman discovered that he is under indictment on another charge and had never been arrested.

Welcome Prince Louis.

TORONTO, ONT., Aug. 28.—Prince Louis of Battenberg was formally welcomed to the city today with ceremonies in City Hall park. The prince and his suite were guests of the Royal Canadian Yacht club this afternoon.

PLANS CAMPAIGN FOR RATE LAWS

Congressman Townsend Believes the President Has Not Changed His Opinion.

NEW BILL TO BE PRESENTED

The Pittsburgh Gazette Bureau, Room 10, Postal Building. WASHINGTON, Aug. 28.

That plans are forming for railroad rate legislation at the approaching session of congress is shown by the following letter written by Representative Charles E. Townsend of Michigan, one of the authors of the Esch-Townsend bill, to a friend in Washington:

In reply to your favor of August 22, I hasten to say that I have no reason to believe that President Roosevelt has given up his intention of calling an extra session of congress early in November, except certain unauthorized statements which have appeared, from time to time, in the newspapers. If, however, he has changed his mind it is undoubtedly because he is confident the work can be accomplished in the regular session.

I am satisfied that some bill saving for its object the farther regulation of interstate carriers will pass both houses of congress at the coming session.

I shall introduce a bill containing the main provisions of the bill which I introduced in the Fifty-ninth congress. I think, perhaps, it will be well to particularly specify in this letter so that there shall be no question that they are included in the regulating power of the commission conferred by the bill.

The discussion during the summer has clearly demonstrated the necessity of enlarging the power of the interstate commerce commission, so as to render its orders in reference to rates and practices effective, and I do not believe that the president has changed his often-expressed opinion on the subject.

HAY FEVER

No one need suffer from hay fever if he will use Pretzinger's Catarrh Balm. The following testimonials are but drops from the bucketsful of similar indorsements which come with every mail.

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Special information regarding particular resorts, distance from Pittsburgh, rates and transportation will be furnished on request.

Inquiries should be made by mail, stating as fully as possible location and nature of resort about which information is desired.

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